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COLORADO SPRINGS GAZETTE

Mean temperature yesterday, 38. Sun rises (today), 7 16; sets, 4 02. Weather today Fair. Sunshine yesterday, 77 per cent of possible.

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HOUSE PASSES TWO BILLS AFFECTING RAILROADS

One Requires Reports of Accidents; the Other Relates to Car Equipment.

CANAL BILL IS DEBATED

Republican Leaders Plan Early Adjournment in Order to Prepare for Election.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Sitting until after nightfall, the House buckled down to business today, passed the Esch bill requiring railroads to make full monthly reports to the interstate commerce commission of all accidents and a measure giving the commission power to compel railroads to provide uniform equipment for cars and then took up for consideration the Mann Panama canal bill on which general debate was concluded before adjournment.

Considerable opposition developed to section 4 of the Esch bill, prohibiting the admission as evidence or the use in any action for damages of the reports furnished by the railroads or the reports of the interstate commerce commission of investigations as provided for in the measure. Chairman Mann urged that the section be allowed to remain in the bill in order to encourage railroad companies to give the commission the benefit of full information on accidents.

Several amendments calculated to modify or destroy the section were defeated. The bill becomes affective as soon as it is signed by the President.

When the Panama canal bill was reported by the committee on interstate and foreign commerce, the House immediately resolved itself into committee of the whole for its consideration.

Representative Mann, Illinois, author of the bill, explained its provisions after which general debate began.

The abolition of the Isthmian canal commission and the centralization of authority for the construction of the canal and the government of the canal zone, under the President, in a director general, were bitterly opposed by several representatives. It was contended that Congress had no power to delegate legislative or judicial authority to the President.

The section of the bill relating to the judicial power on the zone, which as amended by the committee, confers that power in one circuit court and such inferior courts as the President may constitute also was objected to.

Representative Sterling, Illinois, endeavored to show that there was work enough for the three circuit judges now on the zone.

Before the House rose from the committee of the whole the reading of the bill had begun with the understanding that it would be taken up again soon after the holiday recess.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The House leaders today have passed the word along the line that all measures must be rushed and every effort made, to get through the business of the country in time to adjourn early in May.

Republican members say that the campaign next year will no doubt be a hot one and it will be important for them to have all the time they can get to explain to voters the good qualities of the tariff bill. The leaders realize that the tariff bill is to be the issue.

This is shown by the action of the Senate in having published as public documents the President's Winona speech in which he indorsed the tariff act, Cannon's Kansas City speech and the speeches of Senator Cummins and Representative McCall. These speeches express the differences on the tariff issue and will be extensively used by the Republican campaign committee.

NEW CENTRAL AMERICAN COMMISSION

At Right—Ex-Senator James R. McCreary, at left, Thomas C. Dawson.

GEN. WOOD IS NAMED AS HEAD OF ARMY

HE SUCCEEDS GEN. BELL AS CHIEF OF STAFF.

His Rise Most Spectacular in History of U. S. Military Organization.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Major General Leonard Wood, commanding the department of the east, today was selected to be chief of staff of the army, to succeed Major General Bell, by Secretary of War Dickinson. General Wood will enter upon his new duties next April, when General Bell's term expires.

MAJOR GEN. LEONARD WOOD,
Appointed Chief of Staff of the Army.

General Wood's rise in the army has been the most spectacular in its history. Entering the medical corps, as an assistant surgeon, in 1886, he has been promoted by leaps and bounds, and next April, when he assumes his new duties at the war department, he will be at the head of the army. He is only 49 years old.

Attention was called to Wood before he had been in the army six months. While serving as assistant surgeon, he voluntarily carried dispatches through a region infested with hostile Indians, making a journey of 70 miles in one night and walking 30 miles next day. In the same campaign he took command of a detachment of infantry without an officer, when an encounter was hourly expected with Geronimo. For this action in this campaign he was awarded a medal of honor in 1898.

In the Spanish-American war he was colonel of the Rough Riders. For his services at Las Guasimas and San Juan hill he was made a brigadier general. Later he was promoted to be major general and was made governor general of Cuba.

FIGHT FOR $100,000 TO BE COMMENCED

HOUSEKEEPER LATE HARRY HALL SERVES NOTICE.

Signs Letter With First Name of Dead—May Claim to Be Widow.

Mrs. Minnie Barndollar Hall 10 days ago served written notice on Attorney James A. Orr, representing the estate of the late Harry Hall, that she will file a claim for the entire estate, which was yesterday appraised at $102,193.71. It is understood that the claimant will allege that she was the wife of Mr. Hall, and therefore is his only heir at law.

Minnie Barndollar was housekeeper for Mr. Hall for approximately 10 years. Although she gave no intimation in her notice as to the grounds upon which her claim is based, the presumption that she will claim to have been his legal wife is based on the fact that she signed her name "Mrs. Minnie Barndollar Hall."

Shortly after Mr. Hall's death, which was on January 29, 1909, Miss Barndollar, as she was known, told the administrators of the estate that she had expected Mr. Hall to make provisions for her in his will. He left no will. His only blood relative is Elizabeth Mary Pattison, a sister, who lives in London. His sister-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Finlayson, threatened to bring a claim against the estate as the heir to her sister, the late Mrs. Hall. A compromise was effected, each of the claimants agreeing to take one half.

Appraisement Filed.

Clarence Sheafor yesterday afternoon filed in the probate court the appraisement of the Hall estate, which was approved by Judge J. E. Little. The real estate, of which the residence at the northeast corner of Nevada and Pikes Peak avenue is one of the best properties, is appraised at $81,000. Mr. Hall's personal property amounted to $4,651.14, and he held bonds and stocks to the value of $33,137.80. Just debts are estimated at $16,944.09, leaving the amount to be distributed among the heirs at $102,193.71. The amount of inheritance tax to be paid is $1,843.87.

Mrs. Barndollar Hall as the letter to Attorney Orr was signed, is believed to be living with a sister near Denver. The letter was postmarked Denver.

CITY MAY PURCHASE SOUTH CHEYENNE CANON

Property Council Wouldn't Buy for $1,000 in 1873 Now Worth $217,500.

NEGOTIATIONS PENDING

Park Commission Planning Bond Issue to Get Attraction, Which Will Pay for Itself.

South Cheyenne canon, one of the famed scenic attractions of the Pikes Peak region, which was offered to the city of Colorado Springs by Major Henry McAllister for $1,000 in 1873, and refused, may be purchased in the immediate future by the city for $217,500. The park commission is now negotiating for the canon, which is known the world over for its Seven Falls, Pillars of Hercules, and other picturesque features.

With the acquirement of the Garden of the Gods on Christmas day, and the South Cheyenne canon a few months later, the city's magnificent chain of parks, which virtually encircles the town, will be completed. North Cheyenne canon has been the property of the city for many years.

The South Cheyenne Canon and Seven Falls Development company has agreed to transfer the canon, which comprises 320 acres, to the city on receipt of $81,000 cash on or before February 10, 1910. The city is to assume the mortgage against the property as security for notes held by James H. and H. G. Hull, former owners, for $131,000, and to pay a commission of $2,500 to J. R. Young for negotiating the deal.

Bond Issue Planned.

According to the plans of the park commission, the city should issue bonds for $83,500 and then set aside $10,000 a year as a sinking fund to pay the interest and the $5,000 a year required on the Hull notes. Under the terms of the mortgage, the debt must be reduced at the rate of $5,000 a year for 13 years, when a final payment is to be made. The city would have approximately $10,000 a year for 13 years to pay off the mortgage. The South Cheyenne canon has been earning $20,000 net a year, it is understood. According to this plan the property would pay for itself by the expiration of the mortgage time limit. The only expense connected with the deal will be the special election for voting bonds.

In case the city buys the property, an admission fee of 25 cents will probably be charged, and the earnings it is expected, will not only pay for the property long before the maturity of the mortgage, but will also bring in funds for the improvement of other city parks, thus lessening the burden of the taxpayers. The formal transfer cannot be made before the end of February, because of provisions in the city charter involving the submission of a bond issue to a vote of the people.

Included in the deal in case it is consummated, will be sprinkling wagons and tools to the value of $1,400, additions and improvements to the pavilion worth $1,000 and $3,000 worth of view books.

Bought for $1,000.

In 1873 Major Henry McAllister purchased the South Cheyenne canon from

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YE MERRIE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

MARINES WILL SAIL ON PRAIRIE TODAY

BATTLESHIP MISSOURI MADE READY FOR SERVICE.

Action on Rayner Resolution Deferred—Wild Disorder in Capital of Nicaragua.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 15.—The United States transport Prairie is still lying at the Philadelphia navy yard with the 700 marines and all munitions of war on board. It was announced tonight that she would sail at 7 o'clock tomorrow for Colon.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Dec. 15.—The work of loading the battleship Missouri with stores was rushed today in the expectation of orders for her immediate departure for Bluefields, according to officers about Old Point. The Missouri could land 1,000 marines and bluejackets and a three-inch field piece at short notice.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Secretary Knox today requested the Senate committee on foreign relations to postpone the suggested investigation of the Nicaraguan situation until he is able to give the committee a clear understanding of Central American affairs. The committee agreed to the postponement, and the resolution introduced by Senator Rayner in connection with the execution by order of President Zelaya of two Americans, Cannon and Groce, was not taken up.

It developed today that the state department under an agreement existing between the United States and Mexico will officially receive and present Enrique C. Creel, the special ambassador from Mexico to the President, but it is understood if Mr. Creel's representations are that Mexico shall be allowed to act as mediator between the United States and Nicaragua, his mission will be in vain. The state department holds that where American interests and lives have been and are jeopardized there is nothing to mediate.

CORINTO, Nicaragua, Dec. 15.—There were scenes of wild disorder in Managua again last night. During a meeting of the alderman, one of them made a speech denouncing Madriz and favoring the revolution. A free fight between the government and the antigovernment elements followed. Twenty persons were arrested.

LEOPOLD GAINS; HOPE IS REVIVED

KING'S CONDITION BETTER LAST NIGHT.

While Sovereign Is Fighting for His Life Parliament Debates Congo Problem.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 16.—The doctors held a consultation at 4 o'clock this morning but the result is not known. The king had fainting fits in the night, but notwithstanding, he is said to have passed a fair night. His condition is regarded as critical.

BRUSSELS, Dec. 15.—King Leopold's tenacious struggle is arousing the loyalty and admiration of the people who are now keenly watching developments following yesterday's operation.

The bulletin issued tonight by the attending physicians states that the king is gaining. This has caused new hope that his rugged constitution will pull him through, but it is feared at the court that his age will not permit ultimate recovery. The bulletin said:

"The king's condition has improved; pulse, 75, temperature ...."

While the sovereign was fighting for his life, parliament today was absorbed in one of the most vital questions affecting the nation. The great Congo problem came before the legislators for consideration, and this all Belgians wish to see solved on the lines of humanity and progress and in a manner to convince the world that the Congo is safe in Belgian hands.

M. Renkin, minister for the colonies, in an impassioned speech in the chamber today, repudiated the criticism emanating from England that Belgium was exploiting the natives and denied the charges of oppression and cruelty. The minister asked the world to suspend its opinion and give Belgium a chance to show her worth.

It is understood that Leopold's personal fortune is enormous and that if the figures were known they would startle the world. Besides executive properties in Belgium and France he has immense holdings in American securities.

FOURTEEN LOST IN A SHIPWRECK

CHARLESTON, S. C., Dec. 15.—That the five-masted schooner Governor Ames bound from Brunswick, Ga., to New York with a large cargo of railroad ties grounded and went to pieces off Wimble shoals, 25 miles north of Cape Hatteras Monday afternoon, and that the captain, his wife and the crew of 12 men all perished, is the story of Josiah Spearing, sole survivor of the wreck, who was brought here tonight.

JUSTICE WILDER RESIGNS

HONOLULU, Dec. 15.—Arthur A. Wilder, associate justice of the supreme court of Hawaii, who recently announced his intention of retiring from office in January, has cabled his resignation to President Taft and asked for its immediate acceptance.

GEORGE GOULD IN A WRECK COSTING 14 LIVES

Railroad Magnate and His Son Jay Have Narrow Escape From Death.

5 CARS ROLL INTO CREEK

Passengers Submerged and Buried Under Debris—Accident Caused by Broken Rail.

GREENSBORO, N. C., Dec. 15.—Local passenger train No. 11 on the Southern Railway, known as the Richmond and Atlanta train, due in Greensboro at 6 40 a. m., was wrecked this morning at 6 30 o'clock at Reedy Fork trestle, ten miles north of here, and at 6 o'clock this evening 12 dead bodies had been removed from the wreckage.

It is reported that 14 are dead, and 25 injured are being cared for at St. Leo's hospital.

The identified dead:

A. P. CONE, superintendent of the Richmond and Danville division of the Southern railway, Richmond.

H. C. WHITE, traveling auditor, Washington, D. C.

ISAAC DAMMALS, porter on the Richmond sleeper.

... B. NOLAN, Pullman conductor, Greensboro.

FRANK W. KILBY, Birmingham, Ala.

VIRGIL HOLCOMB, Mount View, N. C.

ED SEXTON, Denton, N. C.

RICHARD BAMES, mining engineer of Salisbury, N. C.

CHARLES L. BROOKFIELD, Americus, Ga.

JOHN G. BRODNAX, Richmond, Va.

The body of an unknown man, about 25 years old, was recovered late this afternoon.

Among patients at the hospital who are fatally injured are:

Henry L. Stribling, Decatur, Ga., and F. G. Smith, Spencer, N. C.

Much time was required to know the dead and injured from the debris.

George Gould, who with his son Jay was in one of the Pullmans when the train jumped the track and was reported dead, escaped uninjured. He with his son and a friend, R. H. Russell, of New York, former editor of the Metropolitan magazine, had just got out of the sleeper when the wreck occurred. Mr. Russell was badly hurt by coming in contact with a scalding stream and is at the hospital.

Mr. Gould and his son came on the special bearing the dead and injured. He left this afternoon for his hunting lodge, 15 miles from here, stating that the wreck had not disarranged his plans for a week's outing.

The derailment was caused by a broken rail about 200 feet from the trestle that spans a small stream. The train was composed of two baggage, express and mail cars, three day coaches and two Pullmans. The engine and baggage, mail and express cars passed over in safety while the day coaches and Pullmans were thrown from the trestle into the creek and along the banks 20 to 30 feet below.

As the last car was about off the trestle five coaches toppled over, broke loose from the mail and express car and tumbled into the mud and water below.

Most of the injured and killed in the sleepers were in the Richmond sleeper which was totally demolished. The Norfolk sleeper was not as badly torn up but fell on its side in the swollen stream, submerging many of the passengers.

The appearance of the dead at the undertakers' shops showed that some were scalded to death and others were badly mutilated, while one was cut in half at the waist, his dismembered parts being found at the opposite ends of the coach.

WATER SYSTEM TO COST $125,000 BEGUN ON SUTHERLAND CREEK, NEAR COLO. CITY

A water system with a reservoir capacity of 20,000,000 gallons, which will develop 1,000 horsepower, is being built one mile and a half west of Colorado City, on the upper waters of Sutherland creek. The system will cost upwards of $125,000 and may eventually furnish power and water for Colorado City.

Dr. J. A. Lewis, former mayor of Manitou, who owns 25 acres of land on Sutherland creek, recorded maps and specifications with the state engineer on September 9, filing on all the unappropriated waters on the east Pikes Peak water shed, together with all power rights, unappropriated on the creek. Engineers R. A. Sawyer and William Garstin of this city have all plats and maps of the proposed system on file at the county surveyor's office, and Dr. Lewis has had a gang of men at work at the site for the last week preparing for the construction of the reservoirs. Several others are associated with Dr. Lewis in the project.

The system will consist of three large concrete reservoirs, one measuring 1,410,522 cubic feet, and the other two 850,000 cubic feet each. These will be so arranged that two additional ones can be constructed and it is the plan of those interested to build these within the next year. About two miles from Colorado City, the creek takes a slight fall, the water generating no small amount of power. A large turbine wheel will be installed at the forks of the creek, and the power will be generated from this. Steel pipes are to carry the water to Colorado City where it will be used for domestic as well as other purposes.

The system will not be in operation for a year at least, for the construction of the dams will take much time, and the entire proposed system will be a large project for the engineers. The men have been at work on the reservoir basin for three weeks. Until the weather permits cement work nothing further will be done. The complete maps and specifications are on exhibition at the Kaufman and Wolff real estate office in Colorado City.

The Colorado City water works,

WILL GRANT LOW FARE

Railroads to Make $25 Tourist Rate to Colorado, According to Report at Denver.

DENVER, Dec. 15.—As a result of the $25 tourist rate convention called recently by Governor Shafroth, Colorado will receive next summer the benefits of the $25 round trip tourist rate from the east and also a $17 homeseeker's rate.

This information was imparted to the members of the Real Estate exchange today by T. O. A. Carper, chairman of its tourist and homeseeker committee. Carper has just returned from Chicago where with the other representatives from Colorado he attended the meeting of the Western Passenger association.

Carper said that while no decisions of the passenger agents had been announced he had been privately informed that the claim of the state would be granted in sufficient time to advertise for 1910.

GOLD MEDAL PRESENTED TO COMMANDER PEARY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The National Geographic society tonight publicly acclaimed Commander Robert E. Peary the discoverer of the North pole and in recognition thereof presented to him a gold medal.

BURBANK'S MOTHER DIES AT AGE OR 96

SANTA ROSA, Cal., Dec. ... Mrs. Olive Burbank, mother of Luther Burbank, died here today of old age, aged 96 years.

DAILY DIET HINTS

By DR. T. J. ALLEN
Food Specialist

DIGESTION LARGELY MENTAL PROCESS.

A dog was so treated that food could be prevented from passing into the stomach or could be conveyed to the stomach without first being masticated. When food which the dog liked was eaten and the same conveyed to the stomach, it was well and quickly digested; when the same food was masticated and another which the dog did not relish was conveyed to his stomach it was well digested, and when a food which he did not care for was given the hungry dog, and an equal portion of that which he relished was put in the stomach it was not readily digested. This proves that digestion is very largely a mental process and that, as the writer has contended, the remarkable results obtained by elaborate mastication are not due so much to the mechanical reduction of the food or to the chemical effect of the saliva on starch in the mouth, which is really slight, but to the psychological or mental effect due to contact, stimulating taste, in the mouth. It shows the importance of slow eating and the danger of the "quick lunch."

THIS CITY CAPTURES IMPORTANT MEETING

International Association Railroad Men to Convene Here in June, 1910.

Colorado Springs captured another important convention yesterday, when the Association of Transportation and Car Accounting Officers of the United States, Canada and Mexico, voted to hold its next semiannual session in this city next June. Hundreds of prominent railroad officials will be in attendance. The convention is meeting at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Reports to the meeting yesterday showed that 300,000 freight cars which were idle last winter are now in use.

COMMITTEE INDORSES LURTON'S NOMINATION

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The Senate committee on judiciary voted unanimously today to report favorably the nomination of Judge Horace H. Lurton to be an associate justice of the supreme court of the United States. Some members said it would have been better to have named a younger man, Judge Lurton being in his sixty-sixth year, but there was no general opposition to him.

UNKNOWN MAN KILLED BY AUTO

DENVER, Dec. 15.—While driving his ... Sixteenth street from ... Avenue ... the man was struck by an auto and killed. A ... was found in his pocket with the name H. ... Hill. The victim was taken to the county hospital where he died tonight.

RESTITUTION IS MADE TO GOVERNMENT OF $2,830,573 CUSTOMS CHARGES

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Arbuckle Brothers, generally credited with being the largest independent rivals of the American Sugar Refining company, have acknowledged that from 1901 to 1907 they, too, failed to pay to the government all the money due as customs charges on imported sugar.

In settlement of all civil claims against them, the Arbuckle Brothers have offered, and the treasury department, with the concurrence of the attorney general, has accepted payment of $[illegible]. But criminal prosecution of those responsible will in no wise be hampered or conditioned by this acceptance. The government has now received the following voluntary restitutions and fines from importers of raw sugars:

The American Sugar Refining company (voluntary) $2,000,000, the American Sugar Refining company (fine imposed by the court) $136,000, Arbuckle Brothers (voluntary) $[illegible], total recovered, $[illegible].

Today's announcement of new irregularities in the sugar industry, resulting in quarters never suspected by the public, was made during a recess of the criminal trial of six employes of the American Sugar Refining company.

In the trial of James F. Bendernagel, Inspector Kehoe and four other employes of the American Sugar Refining company for their alleged [illegible] frauds, both prosecution and defense rested their cases today, and summing up will begin tomorrow.

The case probably will go to the jury Friday.

ROCK ISLAND CONTROLS LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Rock Island interests have [illegible] all of the Lehigh Valley railroad. It was declared in Wall street today, and it is [illegible] announce his [illegible] president Thomas of the Lehigh Valley railroad, with [illegible] H. J. Miller, [illegible] president of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois, [illegible] other officers of the Lehigh will be [illegible] by [illegible] in Rock Island [illegible]

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

J. P. MORGAN & CO. BUY TELEPHONE LINES

New York Bankers Secure Control of Two Independent Companies.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 15.—On authority of J. P. Morgan and Co the following statement was issued today by Frank Brown, general counsel for the United States (long distance) Telephone company and the Cuyhoga Telephone company of Cleveland:

"I am authorized by James S. Brady, Jr., to announce that J. P. Morgan and Co. have purchased for their own account a majority of the stocks of the United States Long Distance and Cuyhoga Telephone companies."

No money was concerned in the purchase. Mr. Brailey said:

"The United States company covers Ohio and a part of Michigan with long distance connections in Buffalo, Pittsburg, Indianapolis and Detroit. Its exchanges have a total of 0,000 telephones." The Cuyhoga company operates 25,000 telephones in Cleveland.

GEN. W. W. DUDLEY DEAD

Served as Commissioner of Pensions Four Years Lost Leg in War.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Gen. W. W. Dudley of Indiana, formerly commissioner of pensions, died today.

Throughout the Civil war General Dudley served in the Union army with great distinction. He took part in 15 battles and became colonel and brevet brigadier general. At Gettysburg he lost his right leg. Afterwards he served as inspector and judge advocate until the close of hostilities.

General Dudley was commissioner of pensions from 1881 to 1885.

Born in Vermont in 1842, General Dudley moved in 1860 to Indiana where he took prominent part in political affairs.

In 1888 he became treasurer of the national Republican committee, a position he occupied several years.

Senator Raines Dies.

CANANDAIGUA, N. Y., Dec. 16.—State Senator John Raines died this morning.

He had been chief of the Republican forces on the floor of the New York state senate since 1902. He was author of the election law of New York state and of the famous liquor tax law, passed in 1896.

WATER SYSTEM TO COST $125,000 FOR COLO. CITY

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owned by Anthony Bott, furnishes the south side with water, while the main part of the city gets its supply from the Colorado Springs system. The new organization is composed of Colorado Springs and Colorado City men. Its reservoirs are above those of Bott, and a fight for the water rights is expected soon.

The land where the company will conduct operations consists of 25 acres in sections 17 and 8, and has been owned by Dr. Lewis for 20 years. Dr. Lewis has the distinction of being the first person to locate a homestead on Pikes Peak, the highest one in the world. He has been living in Littleton, near Denver, for the last six years, but has extensive property interests in Colorado City.

PLAN TO BUILD ROADS

Use of Convicts and Soldiers in the Work Favored by Good Roads Convention.

TOPEKA, Kan., Dec. 15.—After recommending that the invitation of Oklahoma City for the next convention be accepted and adopting resolutions urging the use of both convicts and enlisted men of the army in the construction of good roads, the tenth annual convention of the National Good Roads association ended today.

The resolutions adopted urge the the building by the national government of highways from Washington to the various state capitals and the building of a military road between Fort Leavenworth and Fort Riley, Kan.

State laws compelling the payment of poll tax in cash and providing that all moneys collected by the states from "licensing of electric, gasoline and steam driven pleasure and commercial vehicles be set aside for the improvement of state highways" are advocated.

MRS. MARTIN ARRESTED

NEW YORK, Dec 16.—Mrs. Caroline W. Martin, mother of Ocey W. M. Snead, the East Orange, N. J., bathtub victim, was arrested in New York shortly after midnight this morning, formally charged with the murder of her daughter. The warrant was issued yesterday by Recorder Stevens at East Orange, N. J., and placed in the hands of central office detectives last night.

The arrest was made at the Hotel Bay State, where Mrs. Martin arrived Tuesday with petitioner gave her age as 64 years. When Mrs. Martin was confronted in her room by detectives she almost collapsed, and it was some time before she had sufficient strength to start on her journey to headquarters.

TAFT MAKES ADDRESS AT M'KIM MEMORIAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—President Taft spoke tonight in the Corcoran Art gallery at a memorial to the late Charles Follen McKim, architect. Mr. Taft paid tribute to the work of Mr McKim in rebuilding the White House, saying that not in an executive mansion, but in an executive mansion, dignity with simplicity, to which the initiative of any nation, no matter what may be its people or its traditions, may be treated with credit to the United States.

Fancy Aprons

make admirable Christmas presents. Here's mention of the finest stock ever offered Christmas shoppers.

White lawn aprons with hemstitched ruffles and ribbon trimmings, both round and square styles, **25c to 39c** each.

White lawn and dotted swiss aprons with embroidery ruffles and pockets, trimmed with ribbon bows, **50c to 79c**

Small fancy aprons in Princess and bib styles, lace and ribbon trimmed, **89c to $1.00**

Nurses' and waitresses' aprons of heavy cambric and lawn, plain hemstitched and embroidery trimmed bibs and bretelles, **25c to $1.00** each.

Maid's lawn aprons in Princess styles, trimmed with dainty embroidery, **69c to $1.**

Thursday

Bargains From Toy Town

$1.00 set of Diabolo a new and exciting out-door game for children and adults—Thursday only **79c**

25c cast iron handsome cabs with one horse and a driver; Thursday only. **19c**

25c all-iron safety savings banks, with combination lock, Thursday only **21c**

$1.35 hard-wood combination checker and crokinole boards, with discs, Thursday **$1.10**

75c, fully jointed, kid body dolls, with movable eyes and natural hair, Thursday only for **62c**

65c mechanical trains engine tender and one passenger coach, with track—Thursday **49c**

$1.42 iron fire engines with one driver and two galloping horses, Thursday only **$1.12**

$1.80 doll trunks with divided tray and patented lock and key, Thursday **79c**

$1.42 wagons with black enameled steel gearing and red painted bodies, Thursday **$1.19**

$1.75 upholstered "Shoo-Fly" rocking horses with toy box, Thursday only **$1.42**

82c tool chests with all necessary tools, strongly made, Thursday only **49c**

35c three-wheeled, blue enameled, collapsible doll go-cars; Thursday only **21c**

25c, eight-piece, finely lithographed tin tea sets; Thursday only **21c**

25c, natural colored, tin horses, mounted on strong platform, with wheels, Thursday **19c**

Christmas Purchases Made Now Will Be Laid Aside for Such Time as You May Wish.

Kaufman's
EVERYTHING FOR EVERYBODY

Try Shopping in the Morning. You'll Be Surprised at How Much More Satisfactory It Is.

Italian Silk Vests

Kayser's finest quality Italian silk vests in a variety of very beautiful hand embroidered patterns—forget-me-nots, ferns, roses, conventional designs, etc. **$4.00** each.

Women's Sweaters

Women's fancy woven, double-breasted, wool sweaters with pockets and shawl collars—white and grey only—regularly $2.50 each, Thursday

$1.98

The Real Practical Things, for Home Use, Are to Be Found on Our Great Third Floor

Of course, there are novelties of all kinds such as Anatonian silk prayer rugs for table mats or wall panels, French tapestry pieces, campcloth and burlap table covers in beautiful stenciled and embroidered patterns with pillow covers to match, Oriental striped pillow tops, etc., but we especially desire to direct your attention to the more practical things in home furnishings, as follows:

Wherever there are carpets or rugs there is a necessity for a carpet sweeper of proved effectiveness. Bissell's "Cyco" Ball Bearing Sweeper is the outcome of 33 year's concentrated effort in the manufacture of carpet sweepers, and is thoroughly guaranteed. With the recent addition of ball bearings, improved dust proof axle tubes, pressed steel wheels, etc., there is no cleaning device at any price that can approach it for daily convenience and all utility. $2.50 to $5.50.

Rugs! Rugs!

Beginning with the small rugs size 18x30 inches up to 36x72 inches in Smyrnas, Axminsters, Velvets, Wiltons, Brussels and fibre at **75c** to **$7.95** each, you are privileged to choose from a size, pattern and price range that has no equal in this city **$5.00** to **$45.00** in price.. Some of them are as large as 11 ft. 3 in. by 12 ft.

Curtains

Lace, swiss and scrim curtains in all styles; Nottingham, real hand-made Filet, Antique, Renaissance, Marie Antoinette and many new novelties in lace curtains; **75c** to **$15.00** the pair, according to kind and quality.

Door Panels

White, ivory and ecru door panels, made of cable nets, Battenberg, etc., in size 36x45 inches; priced according to the quality and elaborateness of design at **35c** to **$2.50** each.

Couch Covers

50x72 inches wide and three yards long, fringed or plain; choice of 75 different Oriental patterns at **$1.00** up to **$7.50** each.

Art Cretonnes

taffetas, tickings, linens, etc., in the largest variety of pattern and color in Central Colorado use them for covering work boxes or in other Christmas gifts **12½c** to **95c** the yard.

Lace Bed Sets

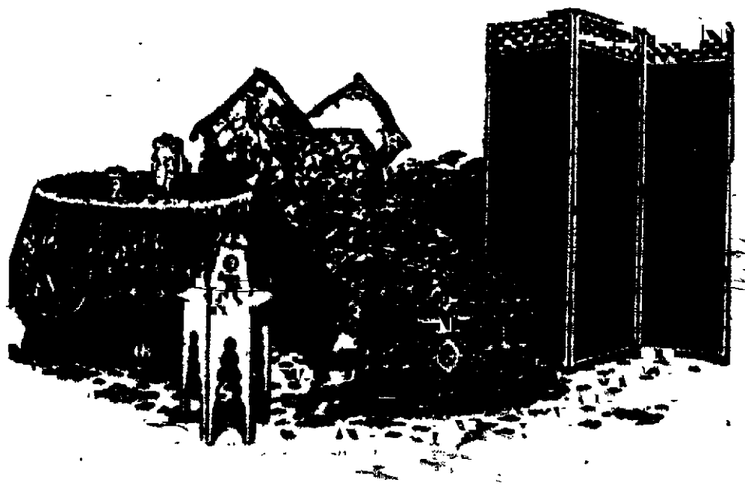
Lace bed sets, for full size beds, made of best quality French bobbinet with real hand-made Battenberg center and corners; complete with bolster or sham pieces, **$5.00** to **$7.50** the set.

Felts All Colors

36 and 72-inch wide, best wool quality felts in all colors, **65c** to **$1.75** the yard.

Portieres of All Kinds

Heavy tapestry or lightweight madras, crete, scrim, Korean cloth, Russian gauze and other portieres, **$1.00** to **$25.00** the pair.



All Women's and Misses' Suits Now Half Price

25 Per Cent Discount on All Women's, Misses' & Children's Coats
25 Per Cent Discount on All Fur Scarfs, Muffs, Coats and Sets
50 Per Cent Dis. on All One-piece Cloth, Silk and Evening Dresses
25 Per Cent Discount on All Evening Coats and Capes
Choose From Our Entire Stock of Millinery at Half Price
None Exchanged and No Money Refunded on These Offerings

Christmas Suggestions From Kaufman's Shoe Store

To Please Her

Patent leather, suede and bronze strap pumps for evening-wear, **$2.50** to **$4.00** the pair.

Patent leather, black and grey suede boots in button and lace styles the newest creations **$3.50** to **$4.50** the pair.

Felt Juliet and felt "Comfy" slippers in assorted colors, **$1.00** to **$1.50** the pair.

For the Elderly Lady's Comfort

Good, warmly lined shoes in lace styles, **$1.50** to **$2.00** the pair.

Fur-topped Juliet slippers with low heels, made over home-comfort lasts; and low felt slippers in many practical and pretty styles, **75c** to **$1.50** the pair.

Miscellaneous

Shinola Outfits, 25c.
Wool Soles, 18c to 40c per pair.
Arch Supports, $2.00 the pair.
Silk Laces, 10c to 25c.
Shoe Trees, 75c the pair.
Polishes, etc., at all prices.

For a Little Miss

Patent leather, vici tan calf and vici shoes in button and lace styles foot-form and medium lasts **$1.50** to **$2.50** the pair

Felt Juliet and "Comfy" slippers in many styles, **75c** to **$1.00**.

Boys' Shoes, Like Father Wears

Patent leather shoes, **$2.50** to **$3.00**.

All styles of shoes made from good-wearing honest leathers, **$1.25** to **$2.50** the pair.

Tan colored or black, high storm boots, **$2.00** to **$3.50** the pair.

Boys' and youths' tan kid slippers, all styles, **75c** to **$1.00** the pair.

Christmas Slippers for Men

High cut Fausts in black and tan, Romeos and lower cuts in wine, tan and black, and brown and black velvet slippers, **65c** to **$2.50** the pair.

All black felt slippers, **50c** the pair.
Bath slippers, **50c** the pair.
Bedroom slippers, **25c** the pair.

Leggins and Gaiters

A great variety of leggins for women and children, **60c** to **$1.00**.

Women's over-gaiters in assorted colors, **50c** to **$1.00** the pair.

Buy Her a Glove Certificate

There's great advantage in giving your lady friend or relative a glove certificate. She need not be bothered by exchanging her present after Christmas but may come to this store and select the color or kind that properly corresponds with her individuality. You are relieved the responsibility of choosing. Try it this year and see how much more satisfactory it is.

What Man Would Not Like These?

Some valuable suggestions in which you will find real bargains A few much underpriced

Men's Bath Robes

Blanket bath robes in beautiful light and dark, soft color combinations; nicely made and finished garments of liberal proportions; $6 down to **$4.50**

Initial Handkerchiefs

Pure linen cambric handkerchiefs with hemstitched border and initial, regularly 15c each, special, per box of six **60c**

Suit Cases

24-inch, solid cowhide suit cases, fitted with brushes of all kinds, combs, soap box and other toilet necessities regularly $15.00, Thursday **$12.25**

Silk Sox

The famed "Phoenix" silk hosiery—guaranteed all pure silk—in navy, black, green, heliotrope, tan and grey colors; per box of six pairs **$3.50**

EXTRA SPECIAL Men's Fancy Vests
About 75 very desirable fancy vests in a good range of materials and patterns they make elegant presents for men all sizes Thursday **½ Price**

Boys' Sweater Coats

Boys' all-wool sweater coats in the newest combinations of blue and tan and tan and green, sizes 30, 32 and 34, a most excellent $2.00 value, Thursday, or while they last **$1.60**

Some Thursday Specials Gathered at Random Throughout the Store

Dresser Scarfs — 50c scrim pillow tops, dresser scarfs and table covers embroidered in colors, variety of designs. Thursday, **39c**

Women's Belts — Women's black beaded belts with buckles to match, regularly 50c each special for Thursday only, **39c**

Picture Frames — Two styles of sterling silver picture frames, with plush backs, are offered as a special value, Thursday, at **50c**

New Ruchings of the correct neck length Thursday **4c per Ruch**

Brooch Pins — 25c brooch pins—variety of pretty stones mounted in gold and other metal frames — choice, Thursday, at **19c**

Women's Handk'h'fs — Hemstitched and embroidered linen handkerchiefs—also scalloped edges regularly sold at 25c, Thursday, **12½c**

Floss Pillows — 18, 20 and 22 inch floss pillows, selling regularly up to 50c each—strictly sanitary made, Thursday, only **39c**

Choice of all women's $1.25 hand bags, Thursday only, **98c**

Coat Collars — Women's Flauen lace coat collars in all widths—white only—regularly $1.25 each, choice, Thursday only **95c**

Hose Supporters — Women's 75c to $1.62 fancy hose supporters in pink, sky, white, yellow, red and black, Thursday, the pair **50c**

Face Cream — 50c jar of Le Beaux "Sacred Heart" face cream—a new greaseless face cream of unexcelled merit—Thursday **39c**

CITY MAY PURCHASE

(Continued From Page One.)

Henry Coby of Colorado City for $1,000. He offered the canon to the Colorado Springs company for the purchase price. The company delayed in considering the offer, and Major McAllister made the same offer to the city of Colorado Springs. At that time Colorado Springs was only a village, and the City Council did not believe that the purchase would be a profitable investment so the offer was rejected. Later, Mr McAllister sold the canon to the Colorado Springs company, for $1,000, which sold it to James Hull in 1890 for $2,750. In a few years, the property was transferred to James H and H. G. Hull, sons of James Hull, who sold it to the South Cheyenne Canon and Development company on July 12, 1906.

COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE
LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine the world wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes cause. Call for full name. Look for signature E. W. GROVE. 25c

J. P. MORGAN, JR., WILL LIVE IN UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, Dec. 16. J. P. Morgan, Jr., came back to the United States from England today. He denied the report that he would take charge of his father's interests but intimated that he would make his home in the United States.

It is fortunate that not all people guilty of contempt of court show it.

Facts are dangerous on the lips of a fool.

Ingredients of Ayer's Hair Vigor: [illegible]
Does not Color the Hair

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Now Located at
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OUR CROCKERY AND CHINAWARE
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SEVEN OF OUR BEST SELLERS
"John Marvel, Assistant," by Thomas Nelson Page.
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"A Volunteer With Pike," by Robert Ames Bennett.
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All the new books.
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See our line of new Electroliers.
SPECIAL.
Mission Electrolier with green shade. Wood is dark finish. Complete price, $3.75.
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Could not be improved upon. Our motto is "Everything in leather at the best prices." Let us convince you of this fact. It costs nothing to look, and know you will agree with us after inspecting our stock, that we have the best values for the money in the city.
Shackleford & Fry
Successor to W. H. Wise.
18 E. Pikes Peak. Phone 574.

GOLDEN FLOW BEGINS

Jerry Johnson Mining Co. Mails Dividend Checks Others to Follow Suit.

The Jerry Johnson Mining company yesterday mailed dividend checks to the amount of $25,000 to stockholders. A total of $167,042.52 will be paid out in Christmas dividends this month. Other dividends will be paid as follows: El Paso, December 20, $24,500; Acacia, December 20, $14,500; Mary McKinney, December 23, $13,042.52; Elkton, December 24, $50,000, and United Gold Mines, January 1, $40,000.

The Acacia Gold Mining company will hold its annual meeting in the Mining Exchange building today.

Lord Strathcona, the veteran high commissioner of Canada, has returned home from London. He is 89 years old, and holds the record as a transatlantic passenger, having crossed and recrossed more than 150 times.

LEFT-HANDED MEN VS. WOMEN AT BASKETBALL

Secretary Hall Plans Many Novel Features for New Year's Celebration.

An indoor baseball game between the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. teams will be the principal feature of the joint reception and entertainment to be given by the two organizations at the Y. M. C. A. building New Years night. All arrangements have been made, and the contest promises to be one of the most exciting held in the city for years. The men will be compelled to play left-handed, although every one of them is right-handed, and there are not a few who already have conceded the victory to the young ladies.

This is only one of many interesting events which are to take place during the evening. Secretary C. E. Hall has planned what is to be known as a "fortune tree." Upon entering, each guest will receive a ticket bearing a number. This number will correspond to his fortune, which will be found hanging on the tree. Just what the fortune is, there is no telling, but one can at least count upon its admitting him to the gymnasium, where a very interesting program of athletics will be given.

There also will be a Mr. and Mrs. Waffles, the detection of whom, either one or both, will bring a handsome prize. Mr. Hall said yesterday that their pictures, that is, the pictures of the back of their heads, will be published so that all may see them.

Elaborate plans are being made for the decoration of the main hall of the building.

The Houstons, who appear as the fourth number on the Y. M. C. A. Star course, will be seen at the Opera House tonight. This is essentially a high-class amusement company, and the program will comprise magic, musical impersonations and recitations. The committee which made the choice of the course believes it to be one of the best numbers on the list.

The Rev. Merle N. Smith, who addressed the men's gathering at the Y. M. C. A. last Sunday, will speak next Sunday. His subject has not been announced.

General Secretary Hall will address the Y. M. C. A. men's meeting at Cripple Creek next Sunday.

A POLICEMAN'S TESTIMONY
J. N. Patterson, night policeman of Nashua, Iowa, writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two-thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world."

COLO. COLLEGE STUDENTS CONSTRUCT REVERSE CURVE

D. H. Mahen and W. W. Johnson, two students of civil engineering at Colorado College, have constructed a model of a reverse curve railroad trestle which is on exhibition in the window of the Colorado Midland ticket office. This reverse curve trestle is one of the most difficult feats in railroad engineering and is considered very dangerous unless constructed on perfect lines. Several other models in railroad engineering work are soon to be added to the display.

When a preacher scolds because of the empty benches, those who are in his congregation feel that they are getting abused because they don't sprout out more.

JUDGE SAYS POULTRY SHOW IS A WINNER

Compares Favorably With Any in The Country Prizes Awarded. More Today.

Unusually high scores are being attained at the Pikes Peak Poultry association show in the Durkee building this week. The feature of the show is the white Plymouth Rock exhibit of A. A. Hilton. One pullet owned by him scored 96 1-2 points yesterday. His prizes will be announced today. Judge A. B. Shaner has pronounced the exhibit one to compare favorably with any show in the country. G. W. Veditz's white Leghorns are also attracting a great deal of attention.

The exhibition room was crowded all day yesterday, and a great many tickets are being purchased by the merchants of the city. The complete awards will be finished tonight. Yesterday's awards follow:

Barred Plymouth Rocks.

H. H. Chase Hens, first, second, third, fourth.

A. N. Burke Pullets, first; cockerels, fourth.

G. W. Veditz—Cocks, second; pullets, second; pen, third.

L. S. Harner—Cocks, fourth; cockerels, first; pullets, third; pen, first.

D. J. Moss Cocks, second; pen, second.

Harry Hill—Cockerels, second, third; pen, fourth.

N. A. Hyden—Pullets, fourth.

White Wyandottes.

Myron Eubank—Cocks, first; cockerels, second; hens, first.

A. N. Burke Cocks, second; cockerels, third, fourth; hens, second, third, fourth.

John Pipka—Cockerels, first.

Single Comb Buff Orpingtons.

M. A. Gamble Cockerels, first.

J. W. Mahan and Son—Cockerels, [illegible]

Single Comb Black Orpingtons.

J. W. Mahan [illegible] first; pullets, first, second, third, fourth; pen, first.

Single Comb White Leghorns.

G. W. Veditz—Cocks, first, second, third, fourth; cockerels, first, second, third, fourth; hens, first, second, third, fourth; pullets, first.

John Pipka—Pullets, second, third, fourth.

Single Comb Black Minorcas.

C. A. Spickerman—Cocks, first; cockerels, first; hens, first, second, third; pullets, first, second, third, fourth.

Through an error, one of the Houdan announcements for last Tuesday was announced incorrectly. The award was made as follows:

W. J. Drewett—Cockerel, first, third and fourth; hens, first, second; cocks, second, third; pullets, third; pens, first, third.

After exposure, and when you feel a cold coming on, take Foley's Honey and Tar, the great throat and lung remedy. It stops the cough, relieves the congestion and expels the cold from your system. Is mildly laxative. Refuse substitutes. Sold by all druggists.

SPECIAL HOLIDAY RATES

For Christmas and New Years holidays the Colorado and Southern will make a special rate of one fare for the round trip between all points in the state. Tickets will be on sale December 24, 25, 31, and January 1, and in addition to these dates tickets will be sold from all points to Denver and return, also on December 26 and 27.

BOYS PESTER CLERKS FOR FREE CALENDARS

Calendars are proving to be the bane of clerks in offices where they are being given away as advertisements. These worthy persons are all willing to take oath that the small boys of the city are making a systematic onslaught. No number of calendars, however great, seems to satiate the youthful desire for more.

"They ain't mine, mister. I'm gettin' 'em for somebody else," is the universal defence when small boys are accused of attempting to take more than they can carry.

Personal Mention

G. M. Irwin left yesterday afternoon for Dayton, Ohio, for a short business visit.

Miss Geneva McCaw will go to Denver and spend the holidays with Miss Faye Anderson.

County Commissioner Banta is at Peyton inspecting the roads and bridges in that vicinity.

G. W. Tourtlet and son left yesterday for San Antonio, Texas, where they will spend several weeks.

H. G. Frans leaves tomorrow for New Rochelle, N. Y., where he will visit during the holidays.

Charles Donelan of Colorado College left yesterday for Springfield, Ill., where he will spend the holidays.

Oscar Perry of the Colorado Springs Electric company leaves in a few days for Kansas, where he will spend the holidays.

R. Ashby, accompanied by Miss M. A. Donnelly left last night for Miami, Fla., where Mr. Ashby expects to make his home.

Miss Vida Pitts of Garden City, Kan., is a visitor in Colorado Springs. Miss Pitts was formerly a student in Colorado College.

Bishop Benjamin Brewster of the western diocese of Colorado, with headquarters at Glenwood Springs, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Linus E. Sherman, 315 North Weber street, has returned from an extended visit with friends in Arkansas City, Kansas, and Oklahoma.

Miss Irene Waters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. Waters, 1528 North Nevada avenue, will return from Bryn Mawr college for the holidays.

Miss Dorothea Holden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Holden, 1206 North Cascade avenue, will return from Hosmer hall, St. Louis, Mo., the last of the week to spend the holidays.

Miss Helen H. Jolly [illegible] for Baton Rouge, La., where she will visit for several weeks with friends and relatives. She will visit the Mardi Gras at New Orleans while on her visit in the south.

W. F. Fish and family of Cripple Creek, who have been visiting friends here the last week, left yesterday morning for San Antonio, Texas, where they will spend the winter.

News of Local Courts

Juvenile Judge J. E. Little yesterday sent to the State Home for Dependent Children, Leah Hatfield, 14 years old; James Hatfield, 12 years old; Claud Sweet, 1 year old; Rosa Lee, 2 years old; Forrest Lee, 4 years old, and William Lee, 8 months old. Pearl Hatfield, 15 years old, was ordered sent to the State Industrial School for Girls. Mrs. Hatfield and her daughter, Mrs. Lee, mothers of the children, will be tried Saturday on a charge of contributing to juvenile delinquency.

Charged by Mrs. Anna Queary, a widow 34 years old, who has four children, with a serious offense, Thomas Kieran, 50 years old, a ranchman, was arrested yesterday on a warrant sworn out in Justice Toombs' court, and was released under bond of $500. He will have a hearing December 21. Mrs. Queafy has been keeping house for Kieran at his ranch near Calhan.

"Dynamite Dan" Campbell, a well-known police court character, was arrested yesterday while trying to sell 14 pounds of tobacco which he said he "found" in the railroad yards near a telegraph pole. The police believe the tobacco was stolen, and are investigating the case.

S. B. Strang and F. M. Keezer yesterday filed a demurrer in the district court in the suit brought against them by P. M. Kistler.

Marion McClintock has been ordered by the county court to pay to his wife $60 temporary, $25 attorney fees, and $10 a week alimony, instead of $10 a month, as previously announced.

Charged with the nonsupport of his wife and child, Walter W. Wanck, a clerk in the Colorado Springs Drug store, was yesterday morning arrested and released by Justice Dunnington under bond in the sum of $100 to appear tomorrow for trial.

The defendant yesterday filed in the district court an answer in the suit of the Assurance Savings and Loan association against Alice and Henry Coleman and Ira Harris.

Jailer H. T. Pinnock yesterday returned from Buena Vista, where he took Eddie B. Oakley, sentenced for forgery.

A hat, suit and cloak were the principal exhibits in a suit in Justice Toombs' court yesterday afternoon, brought by T. Bloom, a Colorado City merchant, against Mrs. J. E. Reynolds to compel her to pay a bill alleged to be due him. Mrs. Reynolds admits owing the bill, but claims it to be $18 less than the plaintiff alleges. The case was continued for 10 days, until Bloom can introduce a traveling salesman from whom he purchased the goods, as a witness.

Foley's Orino Laxative is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste make it preferable to violent purgatives such as pills, tablets, etc. Cures constipation. Sold by all druggists.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES WILL ASSIST ELKS

The Associated Charities this year will give no Christmas dinners to poor of the city. Secretary Bruno yesterday announced that the organization will act as an agent, and accept any donations that are made, and see that they are used for the purchase of Christmas dinners for the poor.

"In this way we expect to feed from 30 to 40 people, as we have done on other years," Mr. Bruno said yesterday. "We will also work in conjunction with the Elks, although our position there will be that of supplying children for their celebration."

City Briefs

DAMAGE—The insurance adjusters estimate the damage to the gas plant by fire last Monday afternoon at $150.

BOOSTING SPRINGS—An interesting article to appear in the January number of the Red Book, issued by the Denver and Rio Grande railroad, will be one dealing with Colorado Springs and vicinity, which is now in preparation by A. W. Henderson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

DEATH—Miss Anna Weideman, 80 years old, and for 30 years a resident of the city, died Tuesday morning at her home, 624 South Cascade avenue. She had no relatives here. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the undertaking rooms of Fairleys and Law.

NEW SPRING—C. A. [illegible], proprietor of the Navajo hotel in Manitou, commenced drilling yesterday for a new soda spring [illegible] from the hotel. The new well is about 40 feet from the old well, which was closed many years ago.

FRACTURES [illegible]—A. Y. Burke, local manager for the [illegible] Telegraph company, fell yesterday near the corner of the First National Bank building, and sustained a compound fracture of the left [illegible]. He will not remain away from [illegible].

MARRIAGE—Carl B. Johnson and Miss Stella May Van Winkle were married yesterday noon by the Rev. C. B. Stewart at his residence, 1727 North Nevada avenue. Only relatives and immediate friends were present. The couple will live at 315 West Willamette avenue.

DEATH—Grace P. Betzler, 33 years old, wife of Frank Betzler, died yesterday morning at her home, 714 North Hancock street. She is survived by her husband and 8-year-old daughter. The body will be taken to Lockport, N. J., today, for interment.

VIVIAN AND WORK SLATED FOR POSITIONS

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 15.—According to the story published here this afternoon John V. Vivian will be appointed surveyor of customs to [illegible] Winfield S. Boynton, and Dr. [illegible] will succeed him as [illegible] of the State Republican Central [illegible] committee. This agreement is said to have been reached between Vivian and [illegible] Guggenheim in Washington.

BOMB THROWN AT BISHOP

LISBON, Dec. 15.—The Bishop of [illegible] narrowly [illegible] death today when a bomb which was thrown at him [illegible] ed nearby, [illegible] all [illegible] him. Although [illegible] of the [illegible] say no [illegible] the attempt on the bishop. No arrests were [illegible].

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First cut low prices, already lower than our competitors.
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$40.00 Suits and Overcoats	$28.50
$35.00 Suits and Overcoats	$24.75
$30.00 Suits and Overcoats	$21.00
$25.00 Suits and Overcoats	$17.75
$20.00 Suits and Overcoats	$13.50
$18.00 Suits and Overcoats	$12.50
$15.00 Suits and Overcoats	$10.50

Underwear Specials
Derby Ribbed, regular value $1.25 for 85¢
Wool Fleece, regular value $1, for 65¢
Union Suits, regular $1.25, for 90¢
Natural Wool, regular value $1.50, $1.15

Sweaters for Men, Women and Children, in all Colors

$2.00 values	$1.35
$2.50 values	$1.90
$3.00 values	$2.25
$3.50 values	$2.50
$4.00 values	$3.00
$5.00 values	$3.75
$6.00 values	$4.75
$7.50 values	$5.00

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Our line is so large and the grades so varied that any man's taste can be suited. 60c to $6.00. We letter all leather goods selling at $1.00 or more free of charge—name in gold.

Guaranteed to Suit Fountain Pens.
Waterman's "Ideal" Pens, Waterman's "Lucky Curve" Self-filling Pens, "Swan" double-feed Pens, Independent Stylo and "Special" School Pens comprise our line. 75c to $8.00 each.

Postal Scales.
Only one of the score of desk accessories that we have on display. These scales are finished in Nickle, Brass and Japanned and sell from $1.00 to $3.00.

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New and Better Methods in Dentistry
We Claim That at Less Expense, We are Producing Better Fillings Crowns, Bridges and Plates.

If this is true, it is of especial interest to everyone needing dental work. We have hundreds of patients that will affirm the truth of this statement. If your teeth are decayed or diseased, they require careful treatment. Why not get the best, the dentistry that lasts and looks well. Your teeth are of vital importance to you and it is a serious mistake to neglect the smallest indication of decay or disease. We will carefully examine your teeth and fully explain our methods, without charge. If your teeth need attention we offer you here an unusual opportunity to get in on our special offer for December. For this month we are making our $15.00 plates for $10.00. Our $10.00 plates for $7.50. Our $10.00 gold or porcelain crowns for $5.00. Dental bridgework, special price $5.00 for each tooth or crown. Silver or platinum fillings $1.00. Gold and porcelain fillings $1.50 and up. Prices on other work in proportion now. Dr. Shaw, dentist, Barnes building, 112 E. Pikes Peak Ave. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. Evenings 7 to 8. Sundays, 9 to 12. Phone 912.

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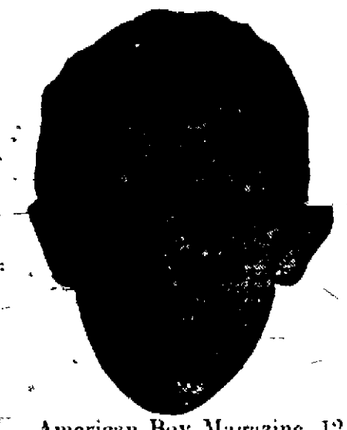

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MEN OF SCIENCE UNITED IN WORTHY CAUSE.

Important Questions to Be Discussed at Coming Meetings of American Academy.

By Frederic J. Haskin.

The annual winter meetings of the American Academy of Political and Social Science are to begin in Philadelphia within the next ten days, and it is expected that the series of discussions will bring out a wealth of contributions to the knowledge of the problems of political and social science. There never has been a time when the world has answered that fateful question, "Am I my brother's keeper?" so strongly in the affirmative as it is answering it today. Social service, the weal of the individual, the uplift of the downtrodden, care for the poor, help for the helpless, gentle firmness for the criminally inclined—everything that makes for the betterment of political and social conditions, claim an attention today the like of which they have never before received.

If one wishes to appreciate this fact fully let him consult the indexes of the periodical literature on the subjects within the scope of political and social science. He finds them the most widely discussed subjects in American life today. Everywhere men are discussing them, everywhere they are trying to solve the questions involved: everywhere the great underworld is feeling the touch of the hand that would lift it up the rugged steps that lie between the quagmires of unfortunate existence and the more pleasant plains of profitable living.

Epoch-Making Service.

And to no other one agency can this change of attitude of the nation toward its unfortunates be traced more easily than to the American Academy of Political and Social Science. Founded for the broad purpose of bringing together in available form all the ripest and best thought of the world on the politico-social problems, its work has been epoch-making in stimulating the interest of people everywhere in the welfare of their unfortunate brethren, and has been instrumental in bringing about many of the blessings that have come to the submerged millions.

The publications of the organization are the most widely quoted sources of information on social science in the world, and those who make the literature of the association are the men who are achieving things. Whether it be child labor that is discussed, trusts, poverty, the liquor question, deep waterway improvement, the race problem, the labor issue, welfare work, or whatnot, the best thought of 90,000,000 people is brought together in a concise symposium. In other words, the academy has mane itself the pioneer in the subjects with which it deals, gathering the data and blazing the way for the action of the nation.

The annals of the academy are published in a bi-monthly volume, and more than a hundred of these numbers have appeared. They deal with nearly every subject of human welfare that has occupied the attention of the people in the past quarter of a century. The contributors have numbered among them all the presidents from Harrison to Taft, all the writers on civic betterment—in short every one who has had some mite to bring whose end was the betterment of the political and social conditions of the people.

Numbers 4,000 Members.

The American Academy of Political and Social Science now has about 4,000 members. It was founded in 1889, and is chartered along broad lines. Wherever there is a human being there is some problem related to him that social science must solve. How to make him of good to himself, of maximum service to his nation, and of maximum help in the onward march of human progress, is a question that must be solved in each individual case. It is therefore one of the principal objects of the academy to enlist the support of every intelligent citizen and to stimulate direct observation and reflection on all the social phenomena of every community. And then it is desired that the academy may become the clearing house of all the data gathered, in the hope that new rules may be deduced and new laws established.

In this work the academy has made itself the harbinger of the new thought of the nation on political and social subjects, and by building up a comprehensive literature on a question about which there was little written, it gives direction to the investigations which follow. When there is a question of great public moment before the nation the academy may be depended upon to produce some convincing and authoritative literature on that subject. If the divorce question is uppermost it will bring forth all the laws on the subject that have been tried in any corner of the world, in order that states may be induced to accept the good and reject the bad. If child labor engages the attention of the nation it will give a symposium of current thought.

Though one of the first institutions in the field for the study of political and social science, the academy by no means is alone today. The Civic Forum of New York is another of the clearing houses of social service ideas, and speakers from all parts of the world are brought to New York to enrich its fund of information on such topics. England has found that no matter how radical men may become in their utterances, it is better to have absolute free speech than to suppress extreme radicalism. Even the anarchist there is allowed to proclaim his views to his heart's content, or at least as long as he has willing auditors and while he may not call anything worth while to the discussion, the very privilege of talking disarms his criticism and makes him a harmless crank.

Things are often proposed by members of the academy which by no means would meet the approval of a majority of the members, but all phases of every question develop to be presented in the theory of the academy. And in the end they all have been found to contribute in varying degrees to the solution of the problems involved.

Blue Book of Science.

Recently, under a grant from the Carnegie Institution of Washington, a writer has undertaken to publish "Who's Who" of the scientific men of America. In gathering the names of those entitled to be ranked among this number he finds that there are about 4,000 strictly high class scientific men, and while political and social science may not head the list, it is shown that hundreds have made reputations for having conducted race-benefiting studies in this branch of science. This blue book of scientific men is but the preliminary step in a study of the mental and physical qualities of the men who make up the scientific thought of America. It doubtless will prove a wonderfully interesting study to know what proportion of them are baldheaded, what proportion wear more than number seven hats, what proportion of them have rugged health, what proportion is of a nervous temperament and so on.

The avenues by which men are helping solve the social problems of the time are many. The government itself has taken it up through its health bureaus and other agencies, and through child labor legislation. Mrs Russell Sage's foundation for the study of poverty is perhaps the most important and far reaching private work. The tuberculosis researches, the gifts of Rockefeller, and dozens of other institutions give evidence that men of affairs are actually beginning to realize that they are of a truth, their brother's keeper, and that "brother" as broad as "neighbor" in the commandment, "Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself." All these activities may be directly or indirectly traced to the work of such organizations as the Academy of Political and Social Science.

Growing Spirit of Charity.

It is said by those who have studied the tendencies of the times that civilization is coming to realize that the individual who prospers is but a trustee for him who does not, and that this idea has grown more in a single score of years than in all the rest of the time together. It is finding its exposition in a growing spirit of charity that is even now beginning to extend to unborn generations. Who ever thought, a score of years ago, that the country would be so soon stirred by the demand for the conservation of the world's resources for the generations of future centuries.

"Welfare" and "uplift" are two words that have come into general use as a result of the activities of such institutions as this academy. Although they may be somewhat overworked today, the added service which they are compelled to render only tells the tale of thousands of men and women who are giving of their time and means to reach out a helping hand to those who need it. The churches throughout the country have come to realize that their greatest hold on the people in the future will come through social service endeavor. One of the leading churches of Washington has a free eye, ear, and throat infirmary. Here may come the poor of every creed and be treated without price. The pastor is keeping a card index of the patients, and is inquiring into the history and the needs of each individual. He wants to help them throw off the rags or poverty and to grow up into decent citizenship. It is but one of the thousands of instances coming to light where the church is aiming to make itself a strong and practical factor in the solution of the social problems that have yet to be answered in this country.

Tomorrow—Feats of Memory.

MAE WOOD READY FOR TRIAL

Travels Penniless From Julesburg to New York to Face Criminal Charge.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Mae C. Wood, whose sensational suit against former United States Senator Thomas C. Platt ended in her being charged with forgery and perjury in her claim that she was the senator's wife, appeared in general sessions court today and said that she was ready for trial.

Miss Wood had traveled all the way from Julesburg, Colo., after having tried in vain to induce the district attorney of New York to pay her railroad fare. It is understood that she is practically penniless.

Platt was too ill to appear. Judge Foster said that if the case was not tried by the end of the present term he would entertain a motion for its dismissal. Bail was reduced to $1,000.

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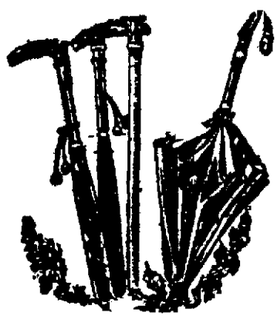

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PINCHOT MAY BECOME UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT

Position at Head of Ann Arbor Institution Tentatively Offered Chief Forester.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The Pinchot-Ballinger controversy, it is said, may be settled by the appointment of Gifford Pinchot as president of the University of Michigan.

Charles E. Osborn, candidate for governor of the Wolverine state, and one of the regents of the Ann Arbor university, was in Washington today to ascertain whether Mr. Pinchot would accept the place if it were tendered him. Mr. Pinchot, it is understood, asked for some time to consider the matter and discuss it with President Taft.

It is believed by men close to the forester's office that President Taft is averse to retirement of Mr. Pinchot at this time. His leaving the government service while his controversy with Secretary Ballinger is yet unconcluded might be constructed as indicating that the Roosevelt conservation policy may not be carried out fully.

It is known, however, that the duties as president of the University of Michigan would prove entirely agreeable to Mr. Pinchot. It may turn out after all that the long drawn out controversy between himself and the secretary of the interior may be settled by his acceptance of the place with the Michigan educational institution.

Mr. Pinchot has said repeatedly that he had no intention of resigning from the government forestry service. He made such a statement after meeting President Taft at Los Angeles on his tour of the country and more recently the same announcement has been made at Washington.

PREPARE FOR CENSUS

Supervisors Now Subdividing Their Districts Enumeration to Begin April 15.

DENVER, Dec. 15.—The three supervisors of the census for Colorado, A. B. McGaffey of Denver, in district No. 1, H. J. Baird of Delta in No. 2 and Charles F. Hamlin of Pueblo in No. 3, are engaged in the preliminary work of subdividing their districts for the enumerators, who will start work on April 15.

The first district is made up of Denver, Adams, Arapahoe, Washington, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Logan, Yuma, Weld, Larimer, Boulder and Jefferson counties. The population of this territory 10 years ago is given as 224,927.

The second district embraces the counties south of the first district and east of the main range.

The third district includes the counties west of the continental divide.

The population of the entire state according to the 1900 census was 539,700. It is expected that the 1910 census will show an increase of at least 50 per cent.

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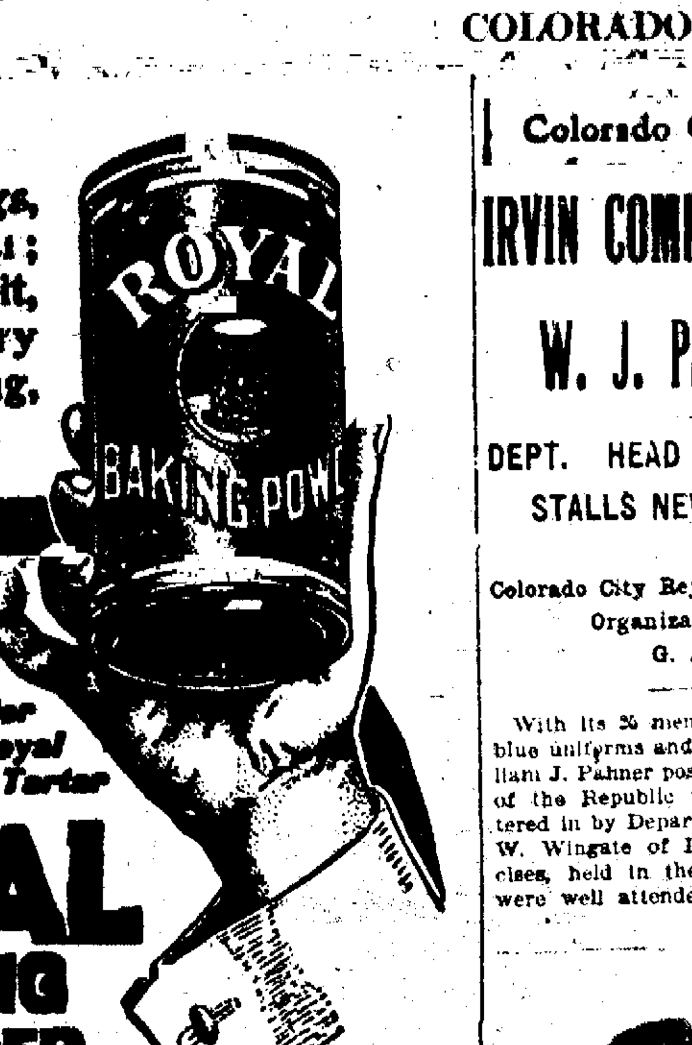

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IN ROUTINE SESSION

City Council Orders City Electrician Ordinance Printed—Minor Matters Are Considered.

In a sleepy session yesterday morning the City Council succeeded in sending one ordinance to the printer, in directing the city clerk to send copies of the charter to a couple of Harvard students who are studying municipal government, and in receiving the application of the Colorado Springs Electric company for a permit to erect an electric sign in front of a Nevada avenue garage. Those in favor of the motion to adjourn signified by prodigious yawns.

Practically all of the two-hour session was devoted to the reading and discussion of an ordinance creating a city electrician, fixing a fee system whereby the city will be compensated for the money paid as salary to the new official, and placing certain restrictions on the installation of electric wires and fixtures in buildings in this city.

The ordinance, which is modeled after similar ones in Denver and Pueblo, gives the city electrician power to condemn electric wiring or fixtures in any house or building, and to order repairs whenever they appear necessary. Permits must be secured from the electrician before any wiring can be done or any fixtures installed anywhere.

A fee system, which provides for a small charge for permits, covers outlets for small lights, arc lights, electric signs, motors, generators and ceiling fans. A charge of $2 for the first hour and of $1 for each succeeding hour is provided in cases not covered by fees.

All electric work done in the city, with the exception of that at the plants of the electric and street car companies, must be inspected and approved by the city electrician, who is given the right to enter anywhere at reasonable hours.

The ordinance will become effective on December 31, at which time the appointment to the position will be made. The place, which will pay $100 a month, is included in the department of public safety.

SITE NOT DECIDED—G. W. Hammers of this city, who intends to start a steam plow factory, says that he has not decided on the site. It will probably be in this state.

MANY SIGN PETITION

Cols. Davis and Bartlett Get 49 Signers to Request for N. G. C. Company Here.

Forty-nine signatures have been secured to the petition which is being circulated here asking Governor Shafroth to establish a National Guard company in Colorado Springs. Col. W. A. Davis and Col. F. D. Bartlett, N. G. C., who have the affair in hand announced yeterday that they probably will end the petition to Denver within a very short time.

"We expect to be able to muster in the company some time next week," said Col. Davis. "We are more than pleased with the success that is attending the circulation of the petition."

Col. Bartlett, who for the last month has been engaged in recruiting companies in the southern part of the state, also is delighted with the outlook. He declared yesterday that he had never seen a better set of men than those whose signatures appear on the petition thus far.

The December meeting of the military board in Denver, which should have been held last Friday, was postponed pending the receipt of the petition from Colorado Springs.

A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's Liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the best and most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by all dealers.

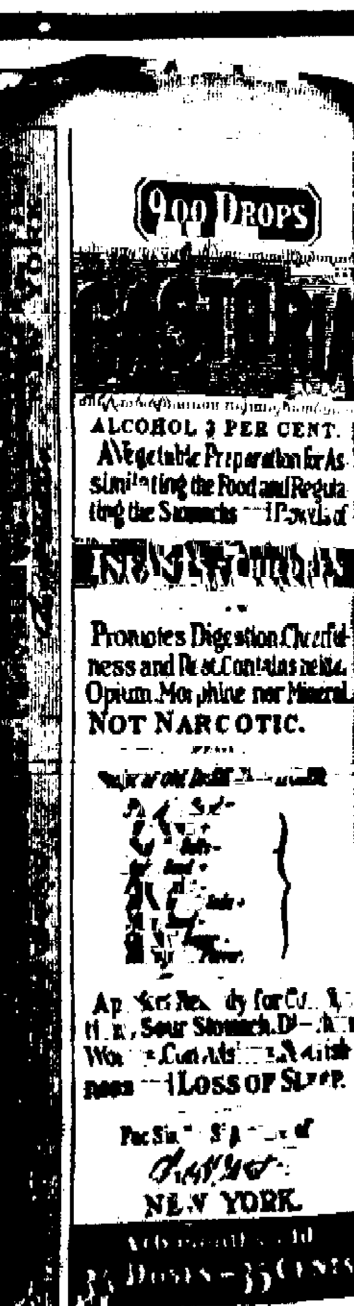
CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to express my most sincere thanks to my many friends for their kindness and sympathy rendered me during my recent bereavement.

WILLIAM H. BELL.

AUTHORITIES EXPECT TO CAPTURE ESCAPED CONVICTS

The authorities believe that John Calez, who escaped from the convict gang employed on the state road in Dead Man's canon Tuesday, will be in custody again in a few days. Convict Watson, who escaped a few weeks ago, has been located in California and will probably be captured soon.



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Colorado City News

IRVIN COMMANDER W. J. PALMER POST

DEPT. HEAD WINGATE INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS.

Colorado City Rejoices in the Latest Organization of the G. A. R.

With its 25 members proud in their blue uniforms and gold braid, the William J. Palmer post of the Grand Army of the Republic was yesterday mustered in by Department Commander J. W. Wingate of Durango. The exercises, held in the W. C. T. U. hall, were well attended, nearly 75 being

B. F. IRVIN.

present. Commander Wingate was accompanied by Junior Vice Commander G. H. Ferguson, who assisted in the installation of the officers. The meeting was most enthusiastic.

The following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: B. F. Irvin, commander; J. E. Roper, adjutant; H. G. Mulnix, senior vice commander; John B. Wilson, junior vice commander; James Starr, chaplain; J. B. Faulkner, quartermaster; J. P. Kiser, officer of the day; D. F. Bersen, surgeon; Charles Robinson, officer of the day; John Crutz, sergeant major. The officers were installed after the exercises of the afternoon.

The post members, with their many friends, ate supper in the Christian church last evening. After supper, the veterans gathered in Mack's hall for a camp-fire meeting. Martial music by a Colorado Springs drum corps and instrumental music by prominent local musicians made up an entertaining program. The men told stories of the war, and, after listening to several talks by Commander Wingate, Judge Robert F. R. Woodward and others, the post "broke camp."

The local veterans for several months have been planning the organization of the post. Under the leadership of Justice B. F. Irvin, the men organized and petitioned for the chapter. The day and place of the regular meeting has not been decided on, but the post will hold an executive session soon to make arrangements.

PREMIUMS REDUCED

State Underwriters Make Cut of 10 Per Cent in Cost Dwelling Insurance.

A 10 per cent reduction in the premium on fire insurance on dwellings in Colorado City has been announced by the state board of underwriters. The small property loss and the efficiency of the fire department were given as reasons for the reduction. Eight agencies are affected by the action, and measures will be taken at once to follow out the order of the board. The reduction does not affect insurance on the business property in the city.

COLORADO CITY NEWS NOTES

H. F. McMurdy is recovering from an attack of la grippe.

Mrs. J. O. McKenzie of 1921 Armstrong avenue is ill of pneumonia.

J. F. Grail has returned from a visit with friends in Carbondale.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church is holding a bazaar at 424 Colorado avenue.

The Bancroft school was dismissed yesterday morning on account of the burning out of the grate.

Glen Eyrie chapter No. 8, Order of the Eastern Star, will install officers this evening at the regular meeting.

Mrs. M. Snodgrass of 311 Lincoln avenue left last night for Oklahoma City, where she will visit her son for three months.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church meets today at the home of Mrs. M. E. Faulkner, 631 Colorado avenue.

J. T. Jones, the well-known Midland conductor, left last night for Philadelphia to spend the holidays with his family.

J. P. Jackson has sold to Mrs. Marie E. Winters lot 17, block 2, Rustic Home addition, corner of Washington and Sheldon avenues, for $400. The property was formerly owned by Henry Templeton.

H. A. Hanson, formerly proprietor of a bicycle shop at 430 Colorado avenue re-

Flatulent Eructations and Offensive Breath

Render Many People Obnoxious to Others, and Cause Them to Be Shunned.

The eructation or belching of gas from the stomach is a very common circumstance, and may depend in some cases upon the nature of the food ingested, without the existence of any deviation from health. In cases of extreme flatulence, the eructation of large quantities of gas may take place, forming a source of considerable inconvenience, and frequent annoyance, although affording some relief to the feeling of distension that exists in the stomach.

Sometimes the gas discharged is of a fetid character—may be so foul, indeed, as to render the unfortunate person's presence almost unbearable to others. Owing to imperfect secreting action, or to a defective state of the gastric juice, putrefactive changes take place among the contents of the stomach, and as the result sulphuretted hydrogen and other such foul gaseous products of decomposition, are evolved. Hence the eructations or belchings present the offensive odor of decayed animal and vegetable matter, and the victim of this deplorable condition usually has a continuous bad breath, which is so disagreeable as to cause them to be shunned by their friends.

The medical profession invariably prescribes and recommends the use of charcoal for the correction and cure of this condition, which has often been the means of causing people to avoid social intercourse, and the pleasures of the theater and other public places of amusement. This deprivation is, however, wholly unecessary, as charcoal is a wonderful absorbent of gases, and possesses the power of absorbing one hundred times its own volume; and when Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges, which are made from the best willow charcoal, are taken into the stomach, every particle of the foul gases existing there is removed by absorption, decomposition and fermentation of food is prevented, and the stomach and entire intestinal system is made pure and antiseptic, all disease germs and microbes being destroyed and removed.

As a natural consequence the breath, which before was so offensive, is now purified, and the person who formerly felt constrained to remain out of company and away from public meetings, has no longer to contend with such a drawback, but mingles freely in the society of his friends, feeling assured that Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges, when used freely after meals, will absorb and prevent the generation of foul stomach gases, and purify the infected breath, making it sweet and pure.

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turned yesterday from Dewitt, Ia., where he has been visiting friends and relatives for the last three weeks.

J. H. Ridenour, formerly of this city, now making his home in Muskogee, Okla., went to Denver yesterday for a short visit. He is buying up a car of horses to take back with him.

Sarah Richardson has sold her five-room dwelling at 413 Lincoln avenue, to H. T. Bond, for $1,600. Mr. Bond will make this his home. Mrs. Richardson leaves in a few days to join her husband in California.

Yesterday was pay day, and $65,000 was distributed among the employes of the Golden Cycle mill and the Colorado Midland shops. The men are taking advantage of the Christmas buying season, and the merchants report a good business.

H. J. Rice, father of Joe Rice, foreman at the Standard mill, is visiting his son for a few days. Mr. Rice owns a large farm in central Kansas, and expects to spend a few days with friends in western Colorado before returning to his home.

It was reported yesterday that the seals on several loaded box cars in the Midland yards had been broken, and the cars had been entered. Officials denied that anything had been stolen, and say the seals were broken accidently.

The Modern Woodmen of America have elected the following officers: Richard L. Bernard, consul; A. L. Bischoff, advisor; William Lushinsky, clerk; Frank Drew, banker; W. Schwelrhardt, escort; D. A. Engstrom, watchman; John F. Worley, sentry; Y. C. Smith, Charles Rodelicks, and Henry Schnetz, managers.

INVESTIGATION SHOWS ACCOUNTS ARE CORRECT

The alleged mistake of a bank teller in the Colorado City National bank recently caused an investigation of the books of the treasurer of the local order of Eagles, when it was found that the supposed shortage of $272 was not true. In depositing this amount, the sum had been placed to the personal account of the treasurer instead of to the credit of the lodge. J. H. Ridenour, formerly of Colorado City, was treasurer until August, when he resigned and removed to Muskogee, Okla. Alderman E. R. Ripley of Colorado City succeeded him.

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Societies and Clubs

The Knights of Columbus have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Grand knight, Dr. J. F. McConnell; deputy grand knight, W. F. Frost; chancellor, M. B. Hurley; recorder, A. J. Gazin; financial secretary, M. J. Griffin; treasurer, R. Minier; advocate, Carl Zittel; warden, L. J. McMahon; inside guard, W. Bailey; outside guard, James Purcell; trustee for three years, D. A. Dibb. These officers will be installed the second Tuesday in January. Several knights from this city are planning to attend the big initiation in Denver next Sunday.

The North End W. C. T. U. meets Saturday afternoon with Mrs. B. Hull, 415 East Kiowa street. The following program has been prepared: Mrs. Barr, devotional exercises; Mrs. Allen Lee, solo; the Rev. A. W. Moore, address; Mrs. Matthews, reading; Misses Hill and Geraldine Hull, music. Members are asked to bring donations for the cottage home.

The following program will be given tomorrow afternoon and evening at the bazaar and social to be given by the local board of managers for the Protestant hospital, at the residence of William Lennox, 1001 North Nevada avenue: Selection, Y. M. C. A. orchestra; piano solo, Miss Evelyn Lennox; vocal solo, Mrs. C. A. Logan; violin solo, Mrs. Briscoe, accompanied by Mrs. Hemus on piano; reading, Mrs. William Barber; vocal solo, Mr. George H. Hemus. The orchestra will play at intervals throughout the evening.

The Foreign and Home Missionary societies of the First Methodist church will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the mission room of the church.

The Court of Honor club will meet this afternoon at 918 North Royer street.

The L. B. C. A. will hold a special meeting this afternoon at the A. O. H. hall. After the business session the lodge will give a social.

The Del Norte Twenty will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Keep, 1611 North Royer street.

The Woman's association of the First Universalist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Gillaspy, 412 North Walnut street.

The Frances Willard W. C. T. U. will meet at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edith Hanson, 625 South Sierra Madre street. The meeting will be in charge of the department of Sabbath observance.

Golden Red camp, No. 2329, Royal Neighbors, have elected the following officers: Mrs. Mamie Means, oracle; Mrs. Hattie E. Clough, past oracle; Mrs. Fannie M. Richel, vice oracle; Mrs. Irene Michael, chancellor; Mrs. Dollie Van Tilborg, receiver, and Mrs. Kate Jack, recorder.

The department of Sabbath Observance will have charge of the meeting of the Frances Willard W. C. T. U. this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edith Hanson, 624 South Sierra Madre street. All interested are invited.

The American Women's league will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at 124 East Willamette avenue.

Mrs. Auld's district of the First Presbyterian church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. P. Ford, 125 North Wahsatch avenue.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's Methodist church meets this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kohler, 320 South Nevada avenue. Ladies are asked to bring fancy work.

Pikes Peak lodge No. 38, I. O. O. F., meets tonight for work in the second degree.

There will be a stated conclave of Pikes Peak commandery No. 6, K. T., tonight at 7:30 o'clock, to install officers.

Mrs. E. M. De La Vergne's twenty of the First Presbyterian church will have a holiday sale of fancy and useful articles and home-cooked food this evening in the Presbyterian chapel at Ivywild.

The Del Norte twenty of the Woman's union of the First Congregational church will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Ella D. Keep, 1611 North Royer street.

BEGIN EXCAVATION WORK ON I. O. O. F. TEMPLE

The work of excavating for the new Odd Fellows building, which is to be erected at the southwest corner of Bijou street and Nevada avenue was begun yesterday morning. The ground was found to be frozen so hard that a tow digging could not be done and wood fires were kindled to thaw it out. The contract for the excavating and the stone and brick work has been sublet to the firm of Schlesinger and Hanson.

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The discovery of a lithia magnetic spring, the only one of its kind in El Paso county, by Dr. J. A. Lewis on his property west of Colorado City, may result in the erection of a sanitarium and a bottling works for that section. The spring was discovered last week, when Dr. Lewis was making investigations on his property, and the water, tested by chemists, was found to be of an excellent lithia variety. The spring gushes from a crevice in a wall of solid granite and although it has been known for some time, its real quality had not been learned before.

Old settlers of this section tell of an Indian legend concerning a fight between the Utes and Arapahoes for the possession of the spring, which the Indians thought a most valuable one. The Utes, it is said, were led by Ignacio, grandfather of the present chief of the Utes. These battles were fought in the early '50s.

REMODELING FIFTH FLOOR OF THE ANTLERS HOTEL

The work of remodeling the fifth floor of the Antlers hotel into rooms for guests was begun yesterday. It is hoped to have the work completed by the beginning of the tourist season. The rooms are being handsomely decorated, and many of them fitted with private baths.

STREET CAR CO. BEGINS NEW KIOWA STREET LINE

Work was begun yesterday on the new Kiowa street electric line by the Colorado Springs and Interurban Railway company. This line will take the place of the old one on Pikes Peak avenue east of the Santa Fe tracks. It will leave the Wahsatch line at Kiowa street and run on that thoroughfare to Institute street, thence north on Institute to Boulder. At this point it will connect with the Boulder, Nob Hill and Printers home line.

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WILLIAM LENNOX WILL BUILD TWO COTTAGES

William Lennox is building two five-room cottages, at a cost of $5,000 each, on the north side of East St. Vrain street, just east of the site on the corner of Nevada avenue which he recently sold to the Methodist church for a parsonage. The excavation work has begun. The plans were drawn by Architect T. B. Barber, and Charles Geissler is contractor in charge.

WORK IS BEGUN ON NEW BURNS THEATER

With the vacating of all but one of the buildings on the site, at 17-27 East Pikes Peak avenue, where the Burns theater is to be erected, and the turning off of the water, work on the new playhouse was begun yesterday. The Burns Trading company will tear down the old buildings.

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Men's Pajamas, **$1** to **$3.50** Night Robes **50¢** to **$2**	Sweater Coats, all the new colors, **$2.50, $3, $3.50** and up to **$12.50**	Indian Suits **$1, $1.25** to .... **$1.75** Rompers **25¢, 40¢, 55¢**
Silk Neckwear **25¢** to **$2** Mufflers...... **25¢** to **$2**	Grover's Soft Sole Shoes and Slippers **$2** to **$3.50**	Sweater Coats **50¢** to **$3** Skating Caps .... **50¢**
Suit Cases **$2** to **$16.50** Toilet Sets... **75¢** to **$5**	Robbins IN THE GAME	75 Boys' Overcoats and Reefers, ages 6 to 20, **Half Price.**

EASTERN SPORT SEASON CLAIMS MANY VICTIMS

BOSTON, Dec. 15.—At the close of the big game season tonight it was found the cost of the chase had been 34 lives in New England and eastern Canada.

Among the score or more known to have been seriously injured, five are not expected to recover, two will lose their sight and half a dozen more will be maimed for life.

AMERICUS BREAKS RIB OF BIG TURKISH WRESTLER

CHICAGO, Dec 15.—Yussif Mahmout is confined to his room today nursing a broken rib. The Turkish wrestler sustained his injury in last night's bout with Gus Schoenlein, "Americus," at the Coliseum. Physicians who examined him today said he might not be able to enter the ring again for two or three weeks. The injury is painful, and it was found necessary to bind Mahmout's body with heavy bandages.

Mahmout said he felt the rib break just as he was putting on extra force in a mixup in the second fall of the evening, when he had Americus' shoulders nearly pinned to the mat. Owing to the injury the second fall went 33 35, while the first fall lasted only 2 34. Mahmout showed signs of suffering from the injury all through the last 25 minutes of the falls and displayed remarkable gameness, as the seconds of "Americus" were calling for the grappler to take advantage of his injured opponent.

DENVER OWNER TRYING TO HELP PUEBLO CLUB

PUEBLO, Dec. 16.—James C. McGill, part owner of the Denver Baseball club, arrived here this afternoon to discuss plans with Pueblo business men for retaining the Western-league team in this city. Mr. McGill said that he did not realize until this morning that there was a chance of Pueblo losing its team, and that if the time was not limited, he could, he believed, secure a buyer for the club who would keep the team here.

Mr. McGill left for Denver tonight to try to devise some plan or get some one to take the club tomorrow, as the option on the deal closes at midnight tomorrow night, when the club will be sold to St. Joseph, Mo.

AERO CLUB BEGINS WAR

LOS ANGELES, Dec 15.—If a dispatch from New York to the effect that the Aero Club of America had published its intention of outlawing all aeronauts who competed during aviation week in Los Angeles is correct, a clash between the parent organization and the Aero Club of California is imminent. The latter body issued the sanction, Los Angeles meet, which the Aero Club of America, it is said has refused to recognize. Should the sanction be not granted, it would be a serious blow to the undertaking, as the foreign aviators would not compete, and Glenn H. Curtiss and others of the American, withdraw their entries.

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DOINGS IN SPORTDOM

Edited By Bruce A. Gustin

NATIONAL LEAGUE PRESIDENTIAL SITUATION REMAINS UNCHANGED

Ward Commands Four Votes and Heydler Three. St. Louis Magnate Unpledged - Summers Elected Vice President of American.

NEW YORK, Dec 15.—The National league of professional baseball clubs is still talking. The American league met today, transacted its business with dispatch and adjourned until next year, but the senior organization, deadlocked over the selection of a president, talked for two hours and then adjourned until 11:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

The club owners got as far as the election of officers, but no farther and the situation with regard to the National league presidency remains unchanged. John M. Ward commands four votes, John A. Heydler, the incumbent, commands three votes, and one club owner Robison spring, if necessary, to land Heydler in the job. Ward he adds, has no chance at all, and Robison has told him, Dreyfuss, he will never vote for Ward.

With this situation at hand, Dreyfuss has consulted attorneys in order to ascertain what will happen in case Ward receives four votes and Heydler three, with Robison declining to vote. He was told that under the laws of this state, the four votes would not elect Ward, all of which seems to indicate that the National league has considerable of a powwow ahead of it before a decision is reached. In some ways, it looks like a ... candidate, who may or may

At the left is Garry Herrmann, at the right Ban Johnson and below John Ward the most logical candidate to head the National league at coming election.

St. Louis refuses to say for whom he will vote. Although it is predicted that ... Heydler, there seems to be no weakening in the ranks of the men against Heydler. Charles H. Ebbetts ... Brooklyn club, reiterated ... that he will never vote for Heydler ... Dreyfuss president ... ... says on the other hand, that he will remain here until next

not be Ned Hanlon, former owner of the Baltimore club.

With the presidential situation undecided the National league magnates of necessity confined themselves to routine matters today. Horace Fogel representing the new owners of the Philadelphia club, was admitted to the meeting, but many of the club owners were not satisfied with his statement that Charles W. Murphy of Chicago and Charles P. Taft of Cincinnati are not the new purchasers. They are seeking more information along this line. The new club was admitted to membership however and Fogel named the officers ... himself president, Frank D. ... vice president, Morris Schenck ... secretary-treasurer, and ... Schwartz and W. Conway, directors.

... The New York club ... Philadelphia club for damages when the Philadelphias forfeited a ... Polo grounds ... last was referred to the new owners, as was William J. Murray's claim against the old Philadelphia corporation for failure to carry out its two-year contract with him.

President Heydler announced that Players Moren, Doolan and Knabe, who were fined for their conduct in the game of October 4, had not as yet paid their fines, and would be ineligible to play in the National league until these were paid.

The league decided to bestow a lump sum, not specified, on an invalid sister of the late President Harry Pulliam, and to give her the interest on $5,000 during her life time.

The behavior of players on the diamond last season was better than ever before, says Heydler.

The receipts of the National league clubs last season were just 160 per cent more than in 1903, the first year in which National and American leagues worked in harmony.

The American league meeting recommended the adoption of a schedule of 154 games for next season.

Joe Cantillon, former manager of the Washington club, was exonerated of the charge of disloyalty to the league.

The club owners passed up the question of wearing spikes to President Johnson and Charles Comiskey, with power to act for the American league.

Charles Summers of Cleveland was unanimously elected vice president of the league. The next meeting will be held in Chicago in February.

The Boston National league club unconditionally released Catcher Al Shaw, and the St. Louis Americans will release Second Baseman Williams to Minneapolis, if they can get waivers on him. Williams is destined to manage the St. Joseph club next season, as it is Joe Cantillon's intention to buy the Pueblo franchise and transfer it to St. Joseph. The Cincinnati club sold Catcher Frank Roth to Minneapolis and Third Baseman Dolan and Pitcher Lower to Denver.

The Baseball Writers Association of America re-elected all officers.

FAVORITES HAVE GOOD DAY ON FLA. TRACKS

Colored Lad's Riding Feature of Day at Juarez—Guides Three Winners.

TAMPA, Fla., Dec. 15.—Four favorites were returned winners today, the feature of the card being the fourth race, which was captured by E. T. Shipp in a hard drive all through the stretch with Grenade. Lovell rode three winners. Jockey Dennison will be refused mounts at the track in the future. The judges decided on this after his weak ride on John Garner on Tuesday.

At Jacksonville

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 15.—Four favorites took the money at Moncrief this afternoon—Harvey F., Lady Irma, Indian Maid and Campaigner. There was quite an upset in the second when Sally Preston, a 9-to-1 shot, ran a splendid race and won a goodly sum for many bettors. The management continues to make improvements at Moncrief.

At Juarez

JUAREZ, Mexico, Dec. 15.—The feature of the racing at Juarez today was the brilliant riding of the colored lad, Austin. Out of four mounts he rode three winners, and was unplaced on the other. His ride on Prince Ahmed was a brilliant piece of horsemanship. The horse carried top weight, 120 pounds, and after following the pace to the stretch took the lead and won by three lengths ... ...

... suffragettes would ... undoubtedly vote for the candidate whose wife wore the prettiest hats.

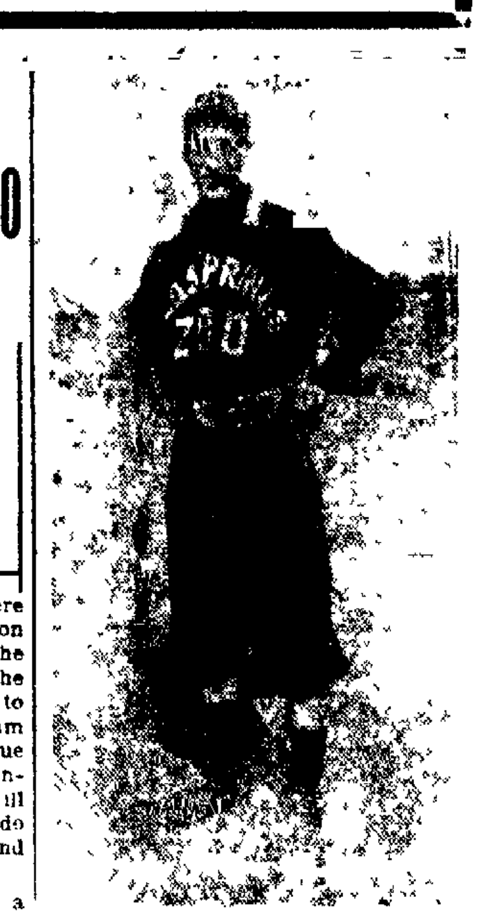
FREDDIE WELSH,
English Lightweight Champion

Freddie Welsh, who won the lightweight championship of England by defeating Johnny Summers in a 20-round battle before the National Sporting club of London, is planning an American invasion with a view to annexing the world's championship. He expects to meet Battling Nelson. It is understood that Nelson will insist upon a 45-round agreement, which would mean that the battle would be fought in California. Lord Lonsdale is taking an especial interest in Welsh. At the end of the recent battle, he presented the winner with a bediamonded belt indicative of the new title. Welsh is a cautious fighter, but when he once cuts loose he is a whirlwind of speed.

ZOOZ MAY REPRESENT SPRINGS IN NEW COLORADO BASEBALL LEAGUE IN 1910

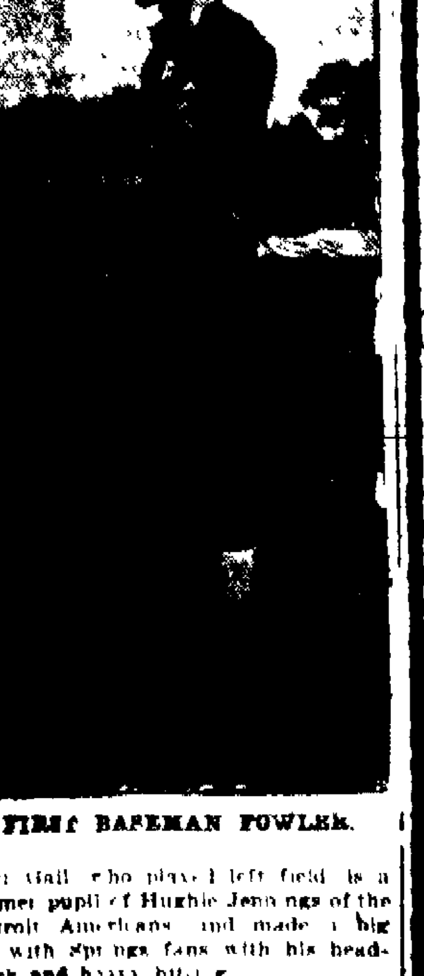
Colorado is to have a state baseball league, and Colorado Springs probably will be represented by the Zooz.

Alderman John Coughlin of the First ward of Chicago, owner of the Zooz, in a recent letter to Manager W. W. Gall of last season's nine, said that he expects to give Colorado Springs a better team next year than last season. The team last season was one of the best in the state, and defeated the Topeka Western leaguers in a match game here.



MANAGER GALL.

Owner Coughlin will probably bring several star players from Chicago to bolster up the local team. Hastings, who was in the box last season in a number of games, showed promise of developing into a good, reliable twirler. Captain Jimmie Counts played a good game at third, and was a hard hitter. Dutch Dixon showed up well enough behind the box to get a chance at next season's team. Jo Fowler, the Zooz had the best first sacker in semi-professional ranks in the state. Manager Gall, who played left field, is a former pupil of Hughie Jennings of the Detroit Americans, and made a big hit with Springs fans with his headwork and heavy hitting.



FIRST BASEMAN FOWLER.

PUEBLO, Dec. 15.—With the passing from Pueblo of the Western league baseball team preliminary steps were taken here today by Alfred Damon Runyon of Denver, president of the Colorado State league of 1908, for the organization of a new state league to include Pueblo, with the local team playing on the old Western league grounds. La Junta has already announced a desire to join and teams will also be placed in Denver, Colorado Springs, Fort Collins, Trinidad and some other town.

This league will be organized at a ... time this month ... meeting which will be held in Pueblo.

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[T]he two most thoroughly efficient civic or[ganiza]tions in the country are, perhaps, those of [Kansas] City and Los Angeles. The Kansas City [Com]mercial Club is known all over the country [for] the effectiveness of its work in advancing the [interests] of Kansas City along every legitimate [line]. Its membership includes everybody of [stan]ding and influence in the city, and through [many] years of adherence to a fixed policy it has [gradu]ally created a civic spirit which is absolutely [di]stinctive. People who are in a position to know [d]eclare that the amazing growth of Kansas City [in] the last decade from 175,000 people to 275,-[000 is] due more to the Commercial Club than [to] any other single factor.

So it is in Los Angeles. The public-spirited people of that thriving city are united in one [co]mpact, progressive civic organization, which is [for]ever on the alert to advance the interests of [Los] Angeles. It has no other object, and it does [no]thing else It simply boosts for Los Angeles, intelligently and effectively, every day in the year.

Contrast these cases with that of Denver. Our [ne]ighboring city has four or five maybe six or [seven] civic organizations. Result—not a one of [them] is worth its salt. Denver has a Chamber [of] Commerce, a Manufacturers' Association, a Real [Es]tate Exchange, a Boosters Club and one or two [ot]hers Each is jealous of the others, for each [reg]ards the others as rivals instead of allies. The [up]shot of the whole matter is that when a ques[tio]n of public importance is under consideration [ea]ch of the civic bodies pulls in a different direc[tion] and much good energy and money is wasted.

FOLLOWING A BAD EXAMPLE. In this matter Colorado Springs had been modeling its conduct after that of Denver, instead of that of Kansas City and Los Angeles. Here we have a Chamber of Commerce and a Merchants' Association, the ob[j]ects and interests of which are, or should be, ab[so]lutely identical We have also a Real Estate [Ex]change and a Good Roads Association, each de[vo]ted to a special object best indicated by its [na]me, but both of which engage in many worthy [pu]blic activities which could be better discharged [by] one big organisation.

This means that the hundreds of public-spirited [m]en in Colorado Springs who are willing to spend [th]eir money to advance the city's interests are [ca]lled upon to pay three, and in many cases four, [fee]s of dues. But more important than this con[si]deration is the undeniable fact that the energy and ability which ought to be concentrated in one [di]rection is distributed—in other words, we are [sp]litting our fire instead of centering it on the [bull's-]eye.

Suppose, for instance, a proposal is on foot to improve the public roads To secure united action it is necessary, first, for somebody to canvass the officers and directors of all four organizations to arouse their interest. Then the president of each organization appoints a committee of three or five members, and after unavoidable delay these com[m]ittees get together to form a joint committee which considers the proposition and finally ar[r]ives at a conclusion. The several committees constituting the joint committee then individually report back to their respective organizations, and [aft]er further delay action is taken.

We do not say this in a fault-finding spirit. Nobody is to blame, for it is all done in accordance [with] the system that has been adhered to for [ma]ny years. But the fact remains that the sys[tem] is wrong. There is too much red tape, too [mu]ch beating about the bush to attain a definite [obj]ect. It must be plain to everybody that vastly [bet]ter results could be accomplished by making a [clea]n cut through the mass of red tape, and this [can]not be done unless the four organizations are [uni]ted into one We do not mean that any one [of] them should absorb the others; rather, there [sho]uld be a complete amalgamation, with all [[illegible]] on an equal footing.

[WOULD] HAVE [UNI]VERSAL [SUPP]ORT. There is not the slightest doubt that such an organization would receive the hearty support of every business man and every professional man in town. [No]body could make the excuse that he already [belo]nged to one or two civic organizations and did [not care] to join another The dues could be made [large e]nough to provide revenue for ordinary pur[poses]. Standing committees large enough in [membe]rship to be thoroughly representative could [hand]le the various activities such as advertising [gen]eral publicity, freight rates street and [road] improvement, conventions securing nationa[l [illegible]], etc. The result would [be] an organization [that] would accomplish infinite [g]ood for Colorado [Springs].

[Sev]eral times in the last two or three years The [Gazette] has suggested this consolidation and now [the] movement has gone so far as the appoint[ment of] committees to bring about the union we [believe] that success is in sight. For the best in[terests] of the entire city it ought to succeed, and the unqualified approval which greeted the r[eso]lution at the Chamber of Commerce dinner justi[fi]es the belief that it will succeed

THE SOUTH CHEYENNE CANON DEAL.

BACK in the early days of Colorado Springs, twenty years ago or more, the City Council considered a proposal to buy South Cheyenne Canon and make it a public park. At that time the Canon could have been had at a very small sum—about ten per cent of its present value we understand—for Colorado Springs was a small town, its tourist patronage was slight, and the Canon had not been exploited as a scenic attraction. But the Council and the owners of the Canon were unable to agree on terms, and the deal fell through.

Many years later General Palmer tried several times, but without success, to acquire the property with the purpose of opening it to the public as a free park. Meanwhile the value of the Canon had increased many fold because of the large expenditure for advertising and the resultant added tourist patronage. The owners asked more than General Palmer was willing to pay, and again Colorado Springs failed to obtain possession of this splendid property.

Now comes the welcome announcement that after months of negotiation the Park Commission is about to acquire the Canon property and make it a part of our splendid park system. The price agreed upon is $217,500, of which $81,000 is to be paid down, $2,500 paid as commission on the sale, and the balance of $134,000, constituting the present indebtedness on the property, assumed as a mortgage, to be paid in annual installments of $5,000 each.

WOULD PAY FOR ITSELF. A bond issue of $83,500 will be required to meet the initial payments, but the remainder of the purchase price, $134,000, can be taken care of from the current revenues of the Canon, the plan being, of course, to continue charging an admission until the entire debt is discharged In this way the Canon will actually pay for itself, and within ten years at most the people will possess this splendid property free of debt and without cost to themselves.

A possibility which adds greatly to the attractiveness of the proposition is the use of the Canon, in the future, as a source of revenue for the entire park system. After the property has been paid for the city could, if it so desired, continue to charge an admission fee, using the proceeds for the maintenance of the park system. The present admission charge of fifty cents is generally regarded as unreasonably high, but even at twenty-five cents the proceeds would be sufficient to pay a large share of the cost of the parks. This money would be used in lieu of taxes, and as at least ninety-five per cent of it would be contributed by out-of-town visitors, the people of Colorado Springs would find themselves in the unique position of possessing the finest and largest park system in the country but with almost no expense to themselves for maintenance.

The Park Commission is to be congratulated on the enterprise, persistence, and forethought it has displayed in making this deal. Its action is certain to be approved by the entire public, if for no other reason than the pride which every citizen will take in the possession by the public of this famous scenic attraction.

COLLEGES AND WOMEN.

From Collier's.

The head of Bryn Mawr college is a profound, sincere and brilliant woman. Recently she has taken up the charge that the college-trained woman is unfitted for domestic life. Her inquiries have convinced her that 30 per cent of college women do their own housework; that though they marry later in life, they marry more wisely; that they have an average of three and six-tenths children, as against the noncollege women's three and five-tenths. Said "The Spectator" of 200 years ago:

As our English women excel those of all nations in beauty, they should endeavor to outshine them in all other accomplishments proper to the sex, and to distinguish themselves as tender mothers and faithful wives rather than as furious partisans. Female virtues are of a domestic turn.

Nobody doubts that the home and the small child's care will always fall to the woman. She is the most directly responsible for the succeeding generation. What is receiving heavy blows at present is the traditional and stereotyped idea that knowledge and intellectual training are less suitable to these high tasks than are frivolity and ignorance.

JUDGE WHITNEY A GOOD CHOICE.

From the Springfield Republican

Governor Hughes shows a high-minded and nonpartisan devotion to the duties of his office in appointing Edward B Whitney of New York to a vacancy on the supreme court bench of that state, caused by the resignation of Justice H. A Gildersleeve. As a practicing lawyer in New York city and assistant attorney general of the United States during the second Cleveland administration, Mr Whitney has been identified with a number of large causes in a manner to impress the public not alone with his high professional ability, but his devotion to just reforms in the interest of the great masses of the people Thus he took a prominent part in preparing and arguing the government's case on behalf of the validity of the income tax law of 1894; he has been credited by Governor Hughes with having borne the most important part in the fight against the extortions of the New York gas trust; and as counsel for the New York state tenement-house commission he drafted the present tenement-house law. He has been more or less active for 20 years in politics on the Democratic side, and he has been so truly of Democratic sympathies that the later conservatism of the Cleveland regime never succeeded in drawing him away from the party in its more radical trend afterward. It will be of interest to note that Mr Whitney, who is a son of the late William D Whitney of Yale, famous as a philologist, was a classmate of President Taft at that institution He is 52 years old

A REASON FOR SUNDAY PRAYERS.

From the Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph

Official figures as to the operation of the Japanese Transpacific steamship lines afford some information that is of immediate interest in its bearing on the ship subsidy question in the United States All the Japanese lines are subsidized by the government otherwise their survival would be impossible for their earnings from freight and passenger traffic would not alone suffice to maintain them In the case of the South American line the subsidy has a still more far-reaching effect inasmuch as the government payments to the company, said to be $40,000 per trip, have enabled it to cut heavily into the business of the Pacific Mail Steamship company, an American corporation which formerly handled the same traffic by way of San Francisco and Panama. The Japanese company has three vessels making regular trips to South American and Mexican ports It has been in receipt of a subsidy only since last spring, but even in the brief period since elapsing its inroads upon American trade have become appreciable.

It is against such handicaps as this, rendering our carrying trade unprofitable, that American ship-owners have to contend and the insistency with which a subsidy bill is urged upon Congress is thus amply accounted for. The contention that the granting of subsidies is wrong in principle because it means the artificial maintenance of an industry which ought to maintain itself if it deserves to exist at all, falls to the ground in the face of the fact that foreign subsidies constitute an attack on American trade and that resort to the subsidy plan is our only means of defense. This is the whole case of the subsidy advocates in a nutshell and it is a case of visible strength and justice. If it is wise and equitable that there should be reprisals against foreigners menacing other industries, it is surely wise and equitable that our shipping industry, such as it is, should be similarly protected

UNCLE WALT EMPORIA

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This life is just a little jaunt across a little plain we're reaching for the things we want, and often reach in vain. The thing we want are sordid things, and made of sounding brass, we do not hear the bird that sings, nor mark the growing grass; we miss the splendor of the night, the glory of the dawn, for we are dreaming of the fight that every day brings on.

JAUNTING ALONG. The useless fight for useless dross, the war of hands and brains; and O, how heavy is our loss how futile are our gains! This life is but a little jaunt across a little sphere; there's nothing in the path to daunt, or bring a sigh or tear; there's nothing there to blanch the cheek, or fill the heart with care, if we would only cease to seek for Trouble in its lair. If we would only look around upon the good in life! But evermore, with hawk and hound, we search the woods for strife!"

WALT MASON.

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The Daily Chit-Chat

Did it ever occur to you that the puffs and rats and transformations that one hears so much protest about from masculine lips, after all are really on the men's heads?

Figuratively, of course, I mean.

I am sick to death of reading man-made essays on the "simple, natural woman" and how greatly she appeals to masculine kind.

I wonder if any of the men who write that sort of thing really believe it.

Why do women try to make themselves beautiful? So that they may take pleasure in looking in the mirror? Or so that they may win the admiration of other women?

Not exactly.

Do you think if the wish of Rachel of "Rachel and Reuben" fame were granted and "the men were all transported far beyond the northern sea" the women who were left would wear puffs?

Certainly they wouldn't.

If men would only show their disapproval by shunning the be-puffed lady in the concrete instead of just talking about her in abstract and approving her in the concrete she would promptly disappear.

Men talk a great deal about hating rats and puffs, but when it comes down to individuals I don't believe one man in 500 would know or care very much whether a woman had a puff or rat on or not.

I will admit that men do not admire the girl who is made conspicuous by carrying a bushel basket full of other people's hair on her head.

But then men do not like conspicuousness of any kind in their women folks.

But take the girl who wears a rather scant supply of hair gracefully and becomingly draped over a small rat and set her alongside of the girl who wears about the same apportionment of hair in flat and simple fashion, and other things being equal, the average man will gravitate towards the be-ratted one.

Here is a little document from experience along these lines.

It was contributed towards a controversy in a New York paper as to whether men really like and appreciate the simple, natural woman or not.

"As far as the natural woman is concerned," runs this little human document, "I think anyone will find it merely a question of supply and demand.

"I remember that as a girl I was as natural as could be, caring very little for the prevailing mode as to dress and wearing my hair as simply and artistically as anyone could possibly require. Needless to say, I was but an indifferent success, something of a favorite with elderly bachelors, but deserted shamefully by the young men for the petticoats made in the latest fashion."

She goes on to say how at the age of 50 she mended her ways and became more popular.

Needless to say, if she had lived today instead of 25 years ago she would have been just as shamefully deserted by the young men for the heads dressed in the latest transformations.

Please do not think this is a defense of rats or puffs or transformations, or anything of that sort.

It isn't. It's merely an attempt to put part of the blame for one feminine folly where it belongs

RUTH CAMERON.

Menus With Recipes

THURSDAY.

BREAKFAST.
Fruit Cereal Sugar and Cream.
Frizzled Beef. Broiled Potatoes.
Flannel Cakes Coffee.

LUNCH.
Sliced Corned Beef. Gherkins.
English Scones. Chocolate

DINNER.
Pea Soup
Braised Beef Heart. Grape Jelly.
Sweet Potatoes Baked Squash. Lettuce.
French Dressing. Wafers. Cheese.
Apple Charlotte. Coffee.

Raised Flannel Cakes—Scald three cupfuls of milk, and add to it while hot one tablespoonful of butter. Dissolve one-half of a yeast cake in one-half of a cupful of luke warm water, and when the milk is luke warm add it to it. Add one teaspoonful of salt and beat until light and foamy. Let it stand overnight in a not too cool place. In the morning beat the yolks of two eggs light and add to the batter, beating well. Whip the whites of the eggs to a stiff froth, and add to the batter when ready to bake the cakes Bake on a hot griddle

English Scones—Mix together two quarts of flour, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt and two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Rub in one-half of a cupful of butter and add sufficient milk to make a soft dough Roll out neatly one inch thick, cut in triangular pieces and bake on a griddle.

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What the Press Agents Say

LOUIS JAMES COMING.

"Does Shakespeare pay?" is a much discussed question which has never been satisfactorily answered. However, Louis James who comes to this city shortly, thinks his productions are an emphatic answer to the problem. According to Mr. James he has never had a losing season with classic drama and while the profits vary according to the nature of his offerings and to the general condition of the country financially, he considers Shakespeare profitable artistically and financially in all kinds of theatrical weather.

This season Mr. James has restored to the stage Shakespeare's seldom seen tragedy of "Henry VIII." "Henry VIII." contains some of Shakespeare's most beautiful lines as well as some of his best drawn characters. The crafty, treacherous Cardinal Wolsey stands alone among Shakespearean portraits and Queen Katharine as we see her in this drama, is one of the most majestic, most queenly of queens.

A company of 35 players will be seen when Louis James presents this play at the Opera House. Prominent among his support is Miss Aphie James, one of the rising young players who gives great promise of some day becoming the leading Shakespearean actress of the country.

"A LESSON IN REFORM" TICKLES EVERYBODY.

It is not too much to say of "A Lesson in Reform," the closing number on the great bill at the Majestic this week, that it tickles everybody. It certainly does tickle the married men for probably many of them have had similar experiences and the way in which the man in the case disposes of his wife's reform notions is a delicious treat to the masculine mind It certainly tickles the men who expect to get married because it gives them a line on what they will have to contend with if they take the plunge. It certainly tickles all those who never were married or never hope to be because it is so funny they can't help enjoying it. And it tickles the women, even though it is a gentle rap at the gentle sex, because most of them believe that if there is any reforming to be done, it should begin at home.

Florence Modena in the part of the wife who wants to reform cabmen and sailors and other "unfortunates" does wonderfuly clever work and is ably assisted by Charles H. Gardner as the husband who decides to try the same game himself He proposes to reform chorus girls, salesladies and others and it can be imagined what happens when he announces it. After each has given away all the other's clothes they decide to reform themselves. The sketch is unusually clever and keeps the house in constant laughter.

Next week—Anna Eva Fay.

BUSONI EDITS FAMOUS COMPOSITIONS; ALSO WRITES AN OPERA

When Feruccio Busoni gave his "only recital prior to his American tour" in London the other day there was not a composition on the program that had not been put through his editorial sieve. His name was hyphenated with five of the immortals. By Bach-Busoni there were Four Chorales, the Chromatic Fantasy, Toccata and Fugue and a "Preludio, Fuga e Fuga Figurata" The Beethoven-Busoni "Ecossaises" stood between the Mozart-Busoni Gigue, Bolero and Variations and the Paganini-Busoni Introduction and Capriccio. Finally, there were the Liszt-Busoni "Mephisto Walzer" and Polonaise in E. This is one of the programs this eminent German-Italian pianist has ararnged for his forthcoming American tournee.

Busoni's opera, "Die Brautfahrt," is to have its premiere in the latter part of the season, either at the Hamburg Municipal Opera or in Prague.

Busoni's piano recital takes place March 11, in Perkin's hall, under the auspices of the Musical Club.

AT THE CRYSTAL. "THE RANCHMAN'S RIVAL"

Jim Watson, cowpuncher, big, brusque man of the plains, falls in love with Annie Morgan, the daughter of a fairly prosperous western ranchman. After a short courtship, Annie is won and plans for the marriage are made.

Annie and Jim quarrel and at this most opportune time, Walter Milton, a wealthy young easterner, honks into town in his big four-cylinder touring car, becomes enamored of the pretty Annie and lays plans for the frustration of the happy romance.

Milton contrives to obtain an introduction and invites Annie for an auto ride. He laughs at her efforts to resist the temptation and she finally yields.

It is the old story of the lure of the gold that glitters. Annie is persuaded by Milton to return Jim's ring and to wed him. Jim is sent away broken-hearted, but resigned in the belief that Milton can make her happier.

Milton's intentions are the lowest and most despicable. He arranges with a Mexican "greaser" to pose as a "preacher" and perform the fake ceremony. A clergyman's suit and hat is furnished the Mexican to lend dignity to his lank form, and Milton then drives back to fetch Annie.

In the meantime Jim has decided to leave the ranch, and, bidding good-by to his old-time pals, bundles up his few belongings, throws his saddle over his shoulder and starts on the long hike to the railway station.

A smartly dressed young woman, a rarity in Jonesville, is pacing up and down the railway station when Jim arrives. As he passes her she looks up and a little embarrassed questions him.

"I beg pardon, sir, but do you know Walter Milton—my husband?"

The big westerner looks at her kindly.

"Walter Milton—" then as the truth dawns on him "—your husband!"

Explanations follow. Milton left El Paso in the auto for an extensive tour and was to meet her at Jonesville two weeks later. She has arrived somewhat ahead of the time set.

Jims tells her to wait, then borrowing a horse, rides at break-neck speed back to the ranch. He traces the auto to the Mexican's shanty, arriving just in time to prevent the wedding.

Without any explanation Watson forces Milton and Annie into the auto and orders the chauffeur to drive back to Jonesville.

When they arrive at the station Milton is forced to confess to Annie and the rightful Mrs. Milton, his nefarious scheme.

Jim leaves the trio and saunters over to the postoffice and general store.

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MRS. NATION EXPELLED FROM CAPITOL BUILDING

WASHINGTON, Dec 15.—Mrs. Carrie Nation knocked a cigarette out of a House messenger's mouth today and admonished the doorkeeper of the gallery that he "really ought not to smoke." The Kansas saloon smasher finally was escorted from the Capitol building by the police.

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COLLIER'S WEEKLY PRINTS ANOTHER SEVERE ARRAIGNMENT OF BALLINGER'S ADMINISTRATION OF INTERIOR DEPARTMENT

NEW YORK, Dec 15.—Under the title, "Can This Be Whitewashed Also?" Collier's Weekly, for December 18, prints another severe arraignment of Secretary Ballinger and his administration of the interior department. The article begins with a brief review of the charges already made by Collier's in connection with the alleged whitewashing of what is termed the outright theft of valuable placer properties in Alaska by the Alaska Gold Mining company.

According to Collier's, "It was proposed to steal these mines, either by an adroitly-worded act of Congress—just as Ballinger tried to legalize the Cunningham claims by having the laws amended—or, failing that, to confiscate them by decisions of the Alaska courts, which were to be of their own making and appointment—exactly as Ballinger sought to have his subordinates create by the Pierce decision a special law for the Cunningham claims. Alexander McKenzie of North Dakota was the captain of this fillbustering enterprise. Donald R. McKenzie is one of the chief conspirators in the present attempted steal. Alexander McKenzie was backed and ably defended by the two senators from North Dakota—McCumber and Hansbrough. Fred Dennet, the present commissioner of the general land office, who figures actively in the Cunningham cases, was a former private secretary of the Senate committee on public lands, of which Hansbrough was chairman for several years immediately prior to becoming special land agent in the west by appointment of Ballinger, then commissioner of the general land office.

The article continues:

"Is there another Alaska conspiracy, this time to control the copper and coal? Will the public, remembering the past, be satisfied with star-chamber answers to this question?

Morgan Guggenheim Alliance.

It is common knowledge throughout Alaska and the West generally that the Morgan interests are allied with the Guggenheim mining interests, and that the same financial forces are allied with the Hill railroad interests. When Ballinger was nominated and elected mayor of Seattle, he was put forward by the Hill political managers, ostensibly to put down certain local evils, but really to put the Hill forces in control of local politics. Ballinger supported Levi Ankeny, the railroad candidate who notoriously bought his seat in the United States Senate.

An important detail of Ballinger's record to remember is his grant, as secretary of the interior, of the railroad right of way along the Des Chutes river in Oregon. Ballinger himself was an incorporator of the original Des Chutes railroad, and was its vice president and counsel. He is said to have disposed of his interest in this road to his partner at the time of his recent appointment as secretary of the interior. In the confession of S. A. D. Puter, king of the Oregon land fraud ring, convicted by Heney, Puter charged that during Ballinger's short term as commissioner of the general land office, Northern Pacific land patents by the wholesale were issued. He also stated that the general land office, under the Ballinger and Dennett administration, shut its eyes to glaring land frauds in Oregon.

As far back as August 13, 1907, Special Agent Horace T. Jones reported to Richard A. Ballinger, commissioner of the general land office:

"From the talk of different attorneys and individuals interested in the Alaska coal lands, I feel that the disposal of the lands all tends toward one direction, and that is: The Guggenheim companies. The papers here in Portland, Oregon, are full of the news that the Guggenheims are constructing railroads near Katalla, Alaska, for the purpose of taking out the oil, minerals, etc, and there is an advertisement in the said papers for the employment of 2,000 men to go to Katalla, Alaska, and work for the Guggenheims." Katalla is the location of the Cunningham claims.

Under date of December, 1907, Cunningham's books show the receipt of $1,959.60, with this notation: "The above sum was received from Daniel Guggenheim (head of the Guggenheim syndicate), in full for expenses incurred on account of the examination of coal lands on his account.

We have in a former article referred to the fact that Commissioner Ballinger appeared before the House committee on public lands and urged the passage of the Cale bill, which had it passed, would have made the Cunningham claims legal. With Ballinger there appeared one Donald R. McKenzie. Found among the papers in the possession of former Special Agent H. K. Love, on whose favorable report Ballinger sought to have the Cunningham claims patented, was the following statement in an unsigned letter, dated Juneau, Alaska, March 10, 1908, and addressed to Hon. Oscar Foote of Seattle

"I have just received a copy of Mr. Cale's coal bill. It seems all that Katalla interests could possibly wish. In fact, I think it was drafted by Judge McKenzie, who, with associates, have acquired large holdings there. It seems to open the whole proposition for corporate holding. The papers say that ex-Commissioner Ballinger urged before the committee same bill, whether this (is true) or not, I don't know."

Ballinger's Backers.

McKenzie, like his namesake and prototype in the placer story, is a well-known Washington lobbyist and an old-time political supporter of Senator Piles of Washington, Ballinger's friend. He is one of the beneficiaries of a townsite of 2,000 acres on Cordova Bay, Alaska, the terminus of the Guggenheim railroad. This townsite was granted, through the efforts of Senator Piles of Washington, by the Sixtieth Congress, to McKenzie and two others, one of whom is ex-Governor John H. McGraw of Washington, former political manager for Senator Piles, and one of the committee of the Seattle chamber of commerce which recently, in answer to Glavis' article in this paper, gave Ballinger a glowing certificate of character and spoke of him as "a scrupulously honest man."

On June 28 of the present year McKenzie brought S. W. Eccles of the Guggenheim syndicate, on his way to Alaska, to see Special Agents Glavis and Jones in Seattle, in order, as he stated, that Eccles might learn first-hand from them of the progress they were making with the Cunningham claims. At this interview McKenzie stated in the presence of these two officials that he and Eccles were particularly anxious to know when the matter would be submitted to the commissioner of the general land office, since he, McKenzie, had assurances from the department that the cases would be given immediate attention as soon as reported.

In October, 1908, in Portland, Oregon after Ballinger had ceased all connection with the land office, and while the Presidential campaign was on—Ballinger spoke to Glavis of the difficulty of raising campaign funds. He told Glavis that some of the Cunningham claimants had contributed freely in previous campaigns, but were unwilling to do so at that time on account of the investigation of their claims, and urged Glavis not to prosecute his investigations further until after election.

In his written report to President Taft at Beverly, Glavis stated that a number of the Alaska coal claimants "are men prominent in the state of Washington, and many of them are personal friends of Mr. Ballinger." This may serve as a prophecy of the recent rhetoric of the Seattle chamber of commerce.

Clarence Cunningham lived at Wallace, Idaho, at the time he first became interested in the Cunningham claims. Wallace is the chief town of the Coeur d'Alene mining region. By a sort of financial manipulation, not here necessary to explain, the Guggenheims control the lead output of the Coeur d'Alenes. Wallace is the residence of Senator W. B. Heyburn of Idaho. Cunningham and Heyburn are, and have been for years, friends.

Employed by Standard Oil.

In his affidavit, presented by Ballinger to Garfield, Cunningham says that certain of the claimants failed to come forward with their subscriptions and that these expenses were advanced by A. B. Campbell, another Cunningham claimant and a prominent Coeur d'Alene mine owner, who was subsequently reimbursed. John A. Finch, Campbell's mining partner, is also a claimant. Another is Charles Sweeney, Coeur d'Alene mine owner, who floated some Coeur d'Alene mines and sold them to Standard Oil interests. Standard Oil, indeed, may get deeper into this story at some later date. For the present, it may interest the reader to know that court records in Seattle show that Ballinger's law firm represented the Standard Oil company in three different suits.

Senator Heyburn was, at the time of his election to the United States Senate, the leading attorney at Wallace for some of the large Coeur d'Alene mine interests. After the hearing on the Cale bill Senator Heyburn, on April 23, 1908, introduced in the Senate another bill which would have legalized the Cunningham claims, and which would have passed but for the intervention of Secretary Garfield. In Washington Heyburn and Ballinger appear to have acted in concert. In our issue of August 28 last, we made reference to a sort of political partnership between Heyburn and Ballinger in certain land matters.

It is unlawful for a United States Senator to act as attorney for persons interested in urging claims before the departments at Washington. It was of Kansas and Senator Mitchell of Oregon were tried and convicted. Heyburn was elected Senator from Idaho January 13, 1903. In Cunningham's books, under date of September, 1903, nine months after Heyburn's election as Senator, there is an entry which reads as follows. "Have agreed with W. B. Heyburn, in consideration for his services as attorney, to carry him for one claim of 160 acres in the coal, free of cost to him, and he agrees to do all our legal work in procuring titles, etc, free of expense to us."

When Cunningham, on September 4, 1908, made his affidavit, he knew these records were in possession of the department officials. Glavis had forwarded them with a letter calling attention to the Heyburn entry. Naturally Cunningham, Ballinger and Heyburn, with Burton and Mitchell in mind, had a terrific scare. In his affidavit, prepared by Ballinger, Cunningham attempted to explain away many things. He quoted a letter from Senator Heyburn, dated October 20, 1905, to himself, in which Heyburn declares that he has frequently stated to Cunningham that he did not desire to be interested in the coal lands in Alaska, and now writes expressly to inform him again that he "does not desire to participate in, or be interested in any manner, directly or indirectly, in acquiring public lands." The letter contains 185 words. In those 185 words, this disclaimer is stated four different times, in four different ways. Was this letter written after Glavis got possession of Cunningham's records? And did Heyburn's withdrawal as an attorney have anything to do with the present employment of his nephew, John P. Gray of Wallace, as an attorney for the Cunningham claimants?

Represented Many Claimants.

When Ballinger represented Cunningham, he represented all the Cunningham claims. Not only this, but the record is quick with the evidence of his employment by other Alaska coal claimants at different times. Under date of December 23, 1908, a little over two months before he took office as secretary of the interior, Ballinger wrote to the register and receiver of the United States land office at Juneau, Alaska, saying that he represented W. G. Whorf, whose entry was known as Coal Survey No. 815.

On January 7, 1909, less than 60 days before Ballinger became secretary of the interior, M. A. Green, who represents another Alaska coal syndicate, wrote to John W. Dudley, register of the Junean, Alaska, land office: "I submitted this scrip to Judge Ballinger as my lawyer, and he has approved the same, saying it was regular in every way, so I bought it and paid for it, and am sending it forward to you at this time."

Again, in this same letterr, Green wrote: "I am expecting to go to Chicago the latter part of this month to meet Mr. McKenzie"—the same McKenzie who supported Ballinger's argument before the committee on public lands in favor of the Cale bill—"and others interested in the Doughten ground, and shall expect to take up the work of perfecting their surveys and title as soon as possible." John Ballinger, a nephew of Achilles, now represents these interests.

Under date of April 19, 1909 six weeks after Ballinger took the oath of office as secretary of the interior—Walter M. French of the law firm of Allen & French of Seattle, wrote John W. Dudley, register of the Juneau land office: "Mr. Harriman, whom I represent, has on several occasions taken the matter of sale up with Judge Ballinger, whose firm represented the purchasers, and with Mr. Hartline, and the parties have at all times seemed to be in perfect accord." It is hard to keep track of them all, no doubt, and we must end the present list.

On November 12, 1907, Glavis submitted a report to Ballinger as commissioner of the general land office, in which he recommended a further investigation concerning a soldier's additional application by Clarke Davis—who was represented by the Mr. Harriman referred to. Ballinger never replied to this phase of Glavis' report, either orally or in writing, but he did approve for patent, without further investigation, the soldier's additional application.

The Seattle "Star" of May 18, 1907, had an article regarding the Alaska Petroleum & Coal company, Clarke Davis' company. This article stated that the men prominent in the company, together with others interested in similar enterprises, had been endeavoring to secure the passage of an act of Congress which would enable their corporations to get possession of the coal lands.

"All possible influence," said the "Star," "has been brought to bear in Washington. Among those who went from Seattle to Washington on this mission was 'Dick' Ryan." Now notice. On the files of the interior department appears a letter of introduction from Ballinger to Secretary of the Interior Garfield under date of March 4 1908, introducing "Richard S. Ryan of Alaska," and saying Mr. Ryan could "doubtless give" Mr. Garfield "valuable information." Doubtless he could, but it was not the kind of information on which Mr. Garfield was accustomed to act.

This disposes of the question of Ballinger's single employment by ONE claimant, so innocently stated by President Taft. Out of over a possible thousand lawyers in Seattle, Ballinger seems to have had a monopoly of syndicated Alaska coal clients. And who shall say that these clients were altogether lacking in sagacity?

Immediately after the statement in the President's letter that Ballinger did only a little work for one claimant is this further statement "The evidence in respect to which you were consulted professionally was not secured by Mr. Glavis until after your resignation as commissioner of the general land office. There is not even a 'shred of suspicion' upon which to base this statement. The President was cruelly imposed upon, and he in turn unwittingly deceived the public.

The President also refers to the fact that Glavis was allowed to remain in charge of the claims, notwithstanding Ballinger was aware of his attitude as to their fraudulent character. As a matter of fact, the claims were not taken from Glavis, simply because it was feared he would do just what finally he did—go elsewhere for justice.

When Dennett was private secretary to Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota, Hansbrough was chairman of the Senate committee on public lands, and in North Dakota was known as a Hill railroad senator. Dennett owes his prominence in politics as much to Ballinger as to his former political connections. It is the belief in the state of Washington that he owes his present position also to Ballinger, because of his suppression of facts involving prominent citizens of Washington in public land frauds.

On July 26 of the present year Glavis wrote to Dennett. "The investigation that was made at that time was disclosing a great deal of fraud among these coal claimants, and, as you were advised by telegram, we were uncovering a great deal of fraud which involved a great many prominent people in the state of Washington, as well as implicating a United States Senator. You, however, directed me to postpone taking further evidence."

A month previous to this Glavis had wired to Dennett asking if any admissions had been made to Dennett in Washington by Alaska coal claimants. Dennett replied by wire that no admissions had been made by claimants. Confronted personally with proofs of his mendacity, Dennett afterward admitted to Glavis, in the presence of another government agent, that these admissions had been made, and that he himself had worked for the legislation sought by these men, and had interviewed several Congressmen in their behalf.

No more details today, but let us call attention to one incident that is understood to have been a disappointment (to put it mildly) to Theodore Roosevelt.

On June 26, 1909, Donald R. McKenzie, Ballinger's intimate associate and client, told Special Agents Jones and Glavis in Seattle that Secretary Garfield's attitude toward the Alaska coal claims, in which he and his friends were interested, was such "that they brought pressure to bear on Senators and Representatives to prevent his remaining in the cabinet under President Taft." Are the same influences that kept Garfield out keeping Ballinger in? Will the President consider these facts in weighing the arguments now being pressed upon him by members of his cabinet?

Or are the above circumstantially narrated events also nothing but "shreds of suspicion"?

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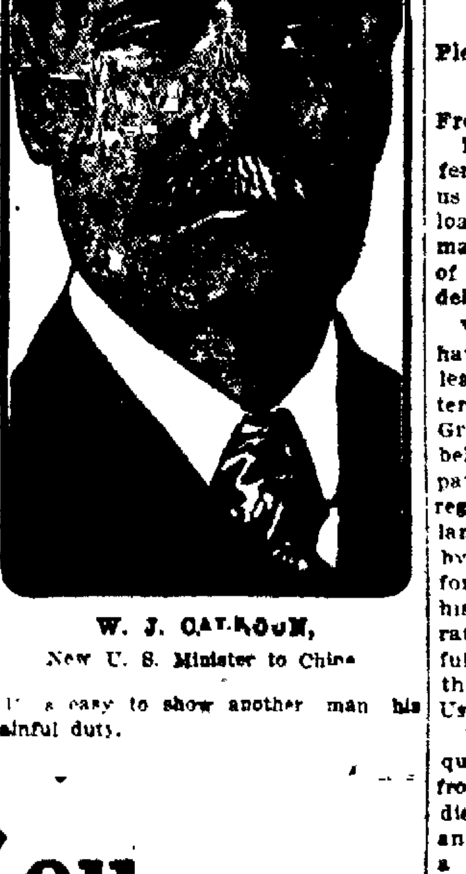

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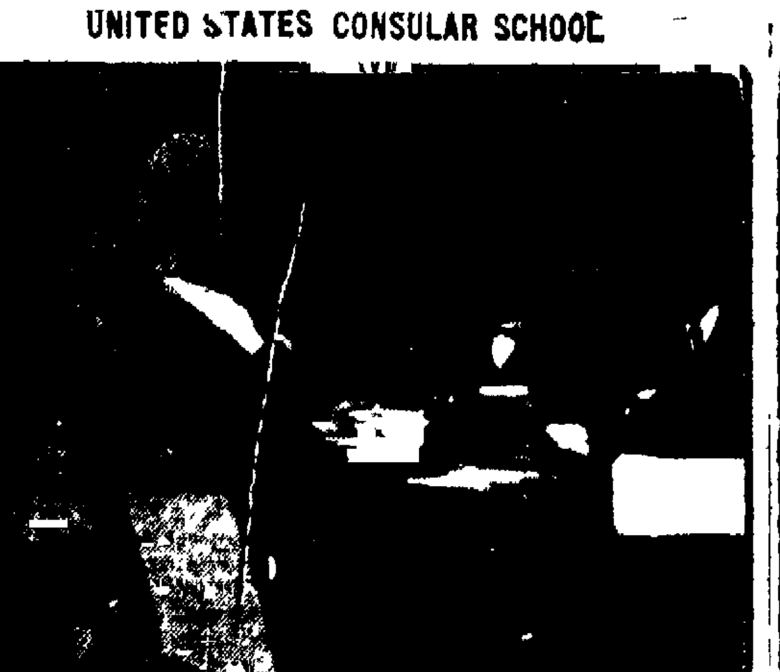

At the bottom is Herbert C. Hengstler, chief of U. S. consular bureau and principal of diplomatic school. At top, Uncle Sam's consular school in session at the department of state.

There has recently been established at the department of state in Washington an institution known as the United States consular school, which is expected materially to raise the standard of Yankee consular service. All new appointees to Uncle Sam's consular service are required to attend this school every day for one month or longer, and during this comprehensive course they receive instruction in every practical detail of a consul's work.

BETTER STICK TO THE BENCH

From the Ladies' Home Journal.

A colored man was brought before a police judge, charged with stealing chickens. He pleaded guilty and received sentence, when the judge asked how it was he managed to lift those chickens right under the window of the owner's house when there was a dog loose in the yard.

"Hit wouldn't be no use, judge," said the man, "to try to 'splain dis thing to yo'-all. Ef you was to try it you like as not would get yer hide full of shot an' get no chickens, nuther. Ef yo' want to engage in any rascality, judge, yo' better stick to de bench, whar yo' am familiar."

NAVY MARINES OFF FOR NICARAGUA ON TRANSPORT DIXIE

TO LOAN OR NOT TO LOAN

Pleas for and Against "Loan" as a Verb

From Life.

Professor Lounsbury, doughty defender of the split infinitive, tells us that the conversion of the noun loan into a verb has aroused very many worthy persons "into a state of wrath hardly distinguishable from delirium."

We ourselves being slow to anger have always managed to maintain at least our outward calm upon encountering this use of the word. Richard Grant White held that it properly belonged in the vocabulary of the pawnbroker. Oliver Wendell Holmes regarded it as a colloquialism of "inland folks." That both are rebuked by Professor Lounsbury—the critic for his ignorance the autocrat for his sense of superiority saddens rather than satisfies us. It is painful to have our idols smashed, and the author of "The Standard of Usage" is forever smashing them.

"This volume he has loaned frequently." We culled the sentence from critical comment in a journal distinguished for purity of diction, and were forthwith moved to write a letter to the editor. But being of a cautious nature, we first took down from our own particular five-foot shelf "The Standard of Usage in English," only to find "the Scandinavian substantive loan was itself used as a verb," and that it actually appears as much in an act of parliament passed in 1542-43.

In the face of such authority we proceed to re-educate our ear. To this end we make certain slight changes in lines more or less familiar to the bookish and repeat them softly to ourselves—this

Friends, Romans' countrymen—loan me your ears. Julius Caesar.

O Lord, that loans me life

Loan me a heart replete with thankfulness. King Henry VI.

Loan, loan your wings! I mount! I fly!

Oh, grave! where is thy victory?—Pope.

God in His mercy loan her grace.—Tennyson.

It really isn't so startling when one gets accustomed to it.

Heaven such grace did loan her.—Two Gentlemen of Verona

He that hath pity upon the poor, loaneth unto the Lord.—Proverbs

Before he loan an ear to this wild girl.—Shelley's Cenci

What disheartens us in our endeavor to loan an impartial ear to pleas for loan as a verb is the poet's conspiracy against it. We cannot find it in Shakespeare. Even Shylock, in the "business play," "The Merchant of Venice," says in prose: "Is it possible a cur can lend 3,000 ducats?" The translators of the Bible, too, seem to have shared this prejudice. However as Edward Everett Hale might have said, if we all lend a hand there is no telling what may be done to overcome our pet aversions.

THE ORDER OF THE BATH.

From Strand Magazine

The last Knights of the Bath made according to the ancient forms were at the coronation of Charles II, when various rites and ceremonies—one of which was bathing—were enforced.

According to Fielden, the court barber prepared a bath, and the candidate for membership in the order, having been undressed by his squires, was thereupon placed in the bath, his cloth and collars being the perquisites of the barber. He was then removed from the water to the words, "May this be an honorable bath to you," and was placed in a plain bed quite wet and naked to dry. As soon as he was quite dry he was removed from the bed, dressed in new and rich apparel, and conducted by his sponsors to the chapel, where he offered a taper to the honor of God and a penny piece to the honor of the king. Then he went to the monarch and, kneeling before him, he received from the royal sword a tap on the shoulder, the king exclaiming, "Arise, Sir ——," and then embraced him, saying, "Be thou a good knight and true."

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FINDS ORE ON SURFACE IN NELLIE V. CLAIM

Vein Opened at Grass Roots and Followed for a Distance of 40 to 50 Feet.

Special to The Gazette

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo, Dec. 15.—A promising surface discovery has been made on the Nellie V fraction on Gold hill by Iver Weston and associates, lessees from the Lexington Gold Mining company which owns the property. Weston has been operating through the Clara D shaft and until recently was making a monthly production of from 300 to 500 tons. The shoot however was worked out, and attention was given to surface conditions in the belief that the Mattie L. vein would be found apexing on the Nellie V. claim, located at the extreme north end of the Lexington company's estate. Trenching at surface, Weston and his partners have opened up the vein at grass roots, and have followed the lead for a distance of from forty to fifty feet. The vein in solid formation is fully three feet wide, and while higher values have been secured from selected specimens the ore will ship as broken at from $10 to $18 to the ton. The lessee is now making preparations for the sinking of a new shaft, double compartment, on the vein, to be later equipped with mining machinery. The initial shipment from the new find was loaded out yesterday for consignment to one of the local sampling plants, prior to treatment at one of the valley mills.

The Nellie V. fraction of the Lexington company contains only .641 of an acre and with a fractional part of the Clara D. included in this block the ground to be developed by Weston and associates contains about three acres.

A two-car shipment will be loaded out tomorrow from the former Myers lease on the Stratton's Independence property on Battle mountain, and the ore consisting of coarse rock and screenings is estimated to average about $30 to the ton. The shipment is made by Ben Goldsworthy and associates who have purchased the Myers lease. The sum paid for the transfer of the lease has not been made public.

A large tonnage of milling grade ore is leaving the Orphan Bell mine of the Isabella Mines company, operated under lease by Charles Day and associates. A twenty-five ton car is loaded out every second day, and the settlement sheets show settlements made at the rate of between $14 and $20 a ton. The lessees are working through the Maloney shaft, and have opened up a strong body of milling grade ore lying back of what was thought by former operators to be the hanging wall of the main Maloney vein.

The semimonthly cleanup is in progress at the Gaylord mill on Ironclad hill, and with the modern machinery recently installed by the lessee the percentage of saving is reported from four to six per cent higher, than previous cleanups of late date.

The Jerry Johnson mine continues daily shipments and at a conservative estimate the lease will have marketed ore of the gross bullion value of $250,-111 since February of the present year.

EASTERN LIVE STOCK

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., Dec 15.—Hogs—Receipts 35,000 Market 10c lower, mixed and butchers $7.95@8.50; good heavy, $8.40@8.55, rough heavy, $8.00@8.25; light, $7.90@8.40, pigs, $6.25@7.50; bulk, $8.35 @8.50.

Cattle—Receipts, 25,000 Market 10c lower. Beeves $3.85@8.25, cows and heifers, $2.00@5.85; stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.00, calves, $7.50@9.75; Texans, $5.00@ 6.00; westerners, $4.25@7.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000 Market steady, Natives, $3.25@5.40, lambs, $4.50@8.35.

KANSAS CITY, Dec 15—Receipts, 9,000, including 400 southerns Market steady to 10c lower, native steers, $4.75@7.50; southern steers $3.50@5.40 southern cows and heifers, $2.50@4.50, stockers and feeders, $3.00@5.25, bulls, $2.25@4.65, calves, $4.00@ 8.00; western cows, $2.75@4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 Market, 5@10c lower; bulk, $8.05@8.35, heavy, $8.30@8.40; packers and butchers $8.15@8.40, light, $7.90@8.25, pigs $6.50@7.50.

Sheep Receipts, 6,000 Market steady; Muttons, $4.25@5.75 lambs, $6.00@7.90; fed western wethers and yearlings, $4.50@6.75, fed western ewes, $4.25@5.15.

KANSAS CITY Dec 15—Cash Wheat—unchanged to 1c lower, No 2 hard, $1.07@ 1.12; No. 3, $1.05@1.11 No 2 red, $1.21@1.25; No. 3, $1.17@1.22.

Corn unchanged, No 2 mixed, 65; No. 3, 64½; No. 2 white 65 No. 3, 64½.

Oats unchanged, No 2 white, 44@46, No. 2 mixed, 43@44.

Rye, 68@70.

Hay unchanged to 50c lower, choice timothy, $12.50@14.00, choice prairie, $11.50, choice alfalfa, $16.00@17.00.

Receipts—Wheat, 24 cars.

Close: Wheat—Dec, $1.06⅝ sellers, May, $1.05; July, 94⅝.

Corn December, 62⅝, May, 64¼@⅜; July, 11⅝.

READING RAISES DIVIDEND.

PHILADELPHIA Dec 15—The dividend on Reading was increased from 4 to 6 per cent annually this afternoon, when the directors declared a semi-annual rate of 3 per cent. Heretofore 2 per cent was paid semi-annually.

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READING DIVIDEND ANIMATES MARKET

U. S. Steel Depressed a Point by Labor's War Against Company's Open Shop Position.

NEW YORK, Dec 15—The Reading dividend increase gave the stock market the only semblance of animation it enjoyed today, coming after a period of torpidity. Operators in stocks were diffident about committing themselves to market contracts.

The Reading dividend had aroused a good deal of uneasy surmise The weakness of the stock yesterday and at times today gave rise to an impression that the strongly claimed hopes of a dividend increase were to be disappointed. With the announcement of the change in the form but not in the amount of the Lehigh Valley dividend Reading rallied and rose above 170. The actual announcement of the increase in the Reading dividend to the six per cent rate came in the last half hour of the market.

Use was made as a depressing influence of the formal declaration of war against the open shop position of the United States Steel corporation by the labor conference at Pittsburg. A loss of a point at the opening measured the extent of this influence. Remittances to London to provide for payment of obligations on American securities held abroad, continue and held up the exchange rate to near the gold export level. A hardening of London discount rates and resort of borrowers to the bank of England kept up the attraction for outside funds, although the inauguration of a transatlantic gold movement would be expected to point towards Paris from New York owing to the obligations of the London market to the Bank of France.

There was little change in the local money market. The call loan rate touched 5 per cent again. An incident of the day was the payment of the Standard Oil dividend which called for the disbursement of $10,000,000.

Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, $4,026,000.

U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Hough.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Cotton Oil ..	68¼	69½	68¼	69½
Am. Sugar	123½	123¾	123⅛	123¾
Am. Locomotive..	60½	60¾	60½	60¾
Am. Smelter	100⅝	101½	100⅝	101¼
do pfd	111½	111¾	111½	111¾
Am. Car Foundry	72	72	71⅞	72
Atchison	121¾	122¼	121½	122
Anaconda	49⅞	50	49⅞	49⅞
Amalg. Copper ...	87⅛	88⅛	87	87⅞
Brooklyn R. T. ..	79⅝	80⅛	79⅛	80
B. & O.	117⅝	117⅝	117	117¾
C., M. & St. P...	156⅞	157⅞	156⅞	157½
C. R. I. & Pac...	43¾	44⅛	43⅝	43¾
do pfd	90½	91⅛	90⅞	91⅛
Ches. & Ohio ...	87½	87⅝	87	87½
Canadian Pac. ...	178⅝	179⅝	178⅝	179⅝
C. F. & I.	52⅛	52⅝	51⅝	52⅝
C. & G. W........	21⅛	21⅛	21	21
D. & R. G.	50	50	49¾	50
Distillers Sec. ...	36⅞	38⅜	36⅞	38⅛
Erie	34	34⅛	33¾	34⅛
do 1st pfd	50½	51⅛	50⅝	50⅝
Gt. Nor. pfd	144½	144⅛	143⅝	144⅛
Gt. N. Ore Ctfs..	80⅝	81⅝	80⅝	81⅝
Gen. Electric ...	160	160	159½	159¾
Illinois Central ..	147	147⅛	147	147⅛
K. C. Southern ..	44	44	43⅝	43⅝
L. & N.	153	154⅛	153	154
M., K. & T.	49⅝	50	49⅝	50
Missouri Pac. ...	72	[illegible]	[illegible]	72
National Lead...	87⅛	[illegible]	[illegible]	87⅞
N. . Central	123½	124	123⅛	123⅝
N. & W.	100	100⅛	100	100⅛
N. . Con. Gas ...	150½	151	150⅛	150⅝
N. .. Ont. & W. .	49⅛	49⅜	49	49⅜
Northern Pac. ...	146¼	146⅝	146	146⅝
Peoples Gas	114½	114⅝	114½	114⅝
Pennsylvania	134⅝	135	134½	134½
Pacific Mail	40½	41	39⅞	40
Pressed S. Car Co	51⅝	52⅝	51⅛	51½
Reading	169¼	171⅛	168⅝	171⅛
Rep. I. & S.	46⅛	46⅛	45⅝	46⅛
do pfd	106⅝	107¼	106⅛	106⅝
Southern Ry. ...	32⅛	32⅞	32¼	32⅞
Southern Pac. ...	132	133⅜	131⅝	133⅛
Texas Pac.	35½	35⅝	35⅛	35½
Union Pac	202⅝	203⅛	202	202⅛
U. S. Rubber ...	52¼	52⅞	52⅛	52⅞
U. S. Steel	90⅛	91⅝	90⅛	91⅛
do pfd	125⅛	125¾	124⅞	125⅝
Utah Copper	60	61	59½	61
Vir.-Car. Chem...	50⅜	50⅛	49⅝	50⅝
Wabash	21	21⅛	20⅞	21
do pfd	57	58⅜	57	58
Western Union ..	78½	78½	78⅛	78¼
Atchison pfd	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝	104⅝
Am. T. & T. Co.	142⅝	143	142⅝	142⅝
C. & N. W.	180⅝	181¼	180⅝	181
Del. & Hudson ..	183	183½	183	183¼
Inter. Met. pfd ..	60½	61⅛	60	61⅛
U. P. pfd	101⅛	103⅛	102¾	103

Total sales, 688,200.

Money closed, 4½ per cent

NEW YORK CURB STOCKS.

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Hough

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Arizona Com.	45	45¼
Boston Cons.	22	22¼
Butte Coalition	29	29½
Chino	10	11
Cumberland Ely	08	09
Ely Central	01⅞	01½
Giroux Cons.	11	11¼
Goldfield Cons.	08⅛	08¼
Gila		08⅝
Helvetia		06⅛
Inspiration		08 7-16 08½
Miami		20⅞
Nevada Cons.		26⅞
Nipissing		10⅝
Ray Cons.		23
Ray Central		02⅝
United Copper		06⅛

COTTON.

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Hough

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Dec.	14.79	14.89	14.79	[illegible]
Jan.	14.85	14.99	14.83	14.99
March	15.34	14.37	15.21	15.35
May	15.50	15.66	15.50	15.65
July	15.56	15.69	15.66	15.68
Aug	15.25	15.40	15.25	15.40

MONEY AND METALS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Money on call firm 4½@5 per cent, ruling rate, 4⅞, closing bid, 4⅝, offered at 4⅞.

Time loans easy; 60 days, 4½@4¾ per cent, and 90 days, 4½ per cent, six months, 4½@4¼ per cent.

Close—Prime mercantile paper, 5 and 5½ per cent.

Sterling exchange, firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 484.20@484.30 for 60-day bills, and at 486 for demand.

Commercial bills, 483½@484

Bar silver, 52⅝

Mexican dollars 44c

Government bonds steady; railroad bonds steady.

NEW YORK Dec 15—At the metal exchange today business was quiet and copper was weak at a loss of ⅛c in bid price. Tin was steady while lead was strong.

Spot and January 12.⅞@13.12½. February 12.6⅞@13 .. pe ter offered at ... least 45 .. 6.1 .. .. 3, 6@3.75.

LONDON Dec 15 Bar silver steady at 24⅛d, de .. .. .. 10.

CROP REPORT INDUCES WEAKNESS IN WHEAT

Brisk Demand by Shorts Met by Liberal Realizing Sales Corn Also Declines.

CHICAGO, Dec 15—The government crop report and increased receipts in the northwest offset bullish foreign advices and caused weakness in the wheat market here today. Prices at the close were 1-8@1-4 to 1-2 below the final figures of the previous day. Corn, oats and provisions also closed heavy.

Wheat was unsettled At times a strong tone was manifested owing to brisk demand by shorts but each upturn brought out liberal realizing sales which resulted in a quick decline. At the start the market was decidedly strong because of an unexpected advance of 3-4 to 11-8d in the Liverpool market. The range on the May delivery for the day was between 109 1-8 and 111 1-4. December sold between 112 and 113 1-2. At the close May sold at 110 3-8@1-2 and December at 112 1-2.

Corn was weak. A decline of 1-2c to 1 1-2c in the price of the cash grain was also a weakening factor. The market closed weak with prices 3-8 to 1-2@5-8 below the previous close.

Oats were inclined to be weak although prices at the close were unchanged to 1-4 lower.

Provisions closed unchanged to 12 1-2 lower.

Quotations Furnished by Otis & Hough

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	113	113½	113	112½
May	110⅞	111¼	109⅝	110⅜
July	100⅛	100¼	99½	99⅝
Corn—				
Dec.	61⅞	63⅛	61½	61⅝
May	66	66½	65⅝	65⅝
July	65⅝	66	65	65⅝
Oats—				
Dec.	43⅝	43½	42⅝	43½
May	44⅝	45	44½	44½
July	42½	42½	42	42¼
Pork—				
Jan.	21.70	21.90	21.65	21.90
May	21.45	21.67	21.27	21.67
July	21.55	21.60	21.35	21.60

COLORADO SPRINGS MINING STOCKS

LISTED

	Bid.	Ask.
Acacia	06⅞	07
C. C. Con.	03	03¼
C. K. & N.	10	..
Dante	07	08
Dr Jack Pot	07½	07¾
Elkton	67½	68
El Paso	63	63¼
Fanny R.	07	09
Findley	09¾	10
Gold Dollar Con.	01¾	04½
Golden Eagle	10	..
Gold Sov.	04	06
Isabella	19	19⅝
Jack Pot	07	07⅝
Last Dollar	..	02
Lexington	01¼	02
Mary Cashen	..	02⅝
Mary McKinney	44	47
Moon Anchor	01⅜	02
Old Gold	04	04½
Pharmacist	03⅛	03⅝
Portland	83⅞	84½
Prince Albert	03⅞	06
Vindicator	72	74
Work	06	07

UNLISTED

	Bid.	Ask
Golden Cycle	140	..
Jennie Sample	07⅝	07⅞
Jerry J.	08	08⅝
U. G. M.	10¼	10⅝

PROSPECTS

	Bid.	Ask.
Banner	02⅞	03⅛
Bob Lee	..	01
Buckhorn	0035	..
Des Moines	..	01½
Fauntleroy	..	03
Gould	01¾	02¼
Ida May	..	02
Jolly Jane	005	01
Keystone	..	01
Little Bessie	005	01
Little Nell	02	03
Little Puck	01	01½
Magnet Rock	..	03
Mary Nevins	02⅝	03½
Mountain Beauty	02	03
National	..	005
New Haven	005	01
Pilgrim	01	01⅝
Raven & B. H.	01⅛	01½
Republic	01⅛	01½
Requa Savage	04½	05½
Robert Burns	001	..
Rose M.	01⅞	02¼
St. Thomas	01½	03
Teutonic	0045	0055

MISCELLANEOUS

	Bid.	Ask.
Blanch	..	01
Black Jack	01½	01⅝
Cable Con.	001	..
Colorado Gold Camp	0025	..
Favorite	001	..
Flower West	..	006
Gold Hill	..	001
Grace	..	0025
Greater Bold Belt	002	..
Havden Gold	..	002
Hummer	001	..
Marion	.	001
Matoa	02	02½
Missouri	002	..
Montreal	..	02
Nellie V.	..	006
O. K.	004	..
Olive B.	005	01
Pinnacle	002	005
Pointer	..	01
Texas Girl	..	0045
Uncle Sam	002	004

SEPARATE SALES

Doctor, 1,000 a 17½, Elkton, 2,000 at 68, 00 at 68, 300 at 68½ El Paso, 500 at 62½, 00 at 62¾, 500 at 62¾, 2,500 at 63, 2,000 at 6, Isabella, 1,600 at 19, 100 at 18, Pharmacist, 3,000 at 3½; Vindicator, 100 at 75; Jennie S, 3,000 at 7¾, C. C. & M, 1,000 at 007; U. G. M, 1,000 at 10⅛, Vindicator, 500 at 73½.

BIG DIVIDENDS BY WESTINGHOUSE CO.

PITTSBURG Dec 15 Stockholders of the Westinghouse Airbrake company will go on with their Christmas shopping today in a more cheerful spirit than ever because the directors of the company, at a regular quarterly meeting, have declared a dividend of 2½ per cent, an extra dividend of ½ per cent and a special dividend of 2 per cent, making a total of 5 per cent This is the largest dividend for any quarter since the panic of 1907, and compares with 12½ per cent total dividends paid in 1908.

LEHIGH DIVIDEND.

PHILADELPHIA Dec 15 Directors of the Lehigh Valley railroad today .. .. per cent on .. .. paid .. per cent .. .. .. The regular dividend on the preferred was declared.

NOBLEMAN SLAYS TWO IN COLD BLOOD

Count Klatzko Shoots Actress and Her Escort and Then Calmly Lights Cigarette.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—After calmly waiting for several hours in front of the home of Elisabeth Schapiero, at 10 Forsythe street, Count Hymen Klatzko an expatriated Russian nobleman, shot and probably mortally wounded her early today, when she came home with Max Goldberg, an artist, of 277 East Ninth street Then Count Klatzko shot and probably fatally wounded Goldberg. He strolled off after lighting a cigarette, but was captured and locked up.

Count Klatzko, exiled from Russia by his family because of his dissipation has been infatuated with the young actress who is separated from her husband. She was being escorted to her home by Goldberg, of whom the count is said to have been extremely jealous Goldberg recently told a friend of his living in the neighborhood that he had been warned against the count.

Count Klatzko fired four shots two of them taking effect, against the woman and two against Goldberg The reports of the count's revolver aroused the neighborhood, but he was apparently not greatly disturbed as windows shot up all about him and people appeared at them He was seen to approach the woman where she lay in front of her home, He whispered several words to her and then, lighting a cigarette, strolled off.

Jacob Schwartz shouted to Myer Appel, a night watchman, whom he saw across the street, to chase the count, but Appel merely rapped for help with his club Schwartz pursued the count and was joined by Patrolman Mulane, of the Eldredge street station. Mulane caught his man several blocks away and took him to the station, after summoning an ambulance from Gouverneur hospital.

The ambulance surgeon, who examined the wounds of the young woman and of Goldberg, found that they were both in critical condition. He rushed them to the hospital and there it was found that she had two bullets in the back and that Goldberg was shot once in the left arm and once in the left side of the chest. The injuries of both, it was said, would prove fatal. Both were conscious and afterward identified Count Klatzko as the man who had shot them.

According to friends of the actress, she recently declared that she had become afraid of the count. She had ordered him not to visit her at her home, but it is said that he paid no heed to her wishes in the matter. She had become so afraid of him that she was preparing to leave the city to elude him.

The woman's husband some time ago brought suit against Klatzko for alleged alienation of her affections. The papers in the suit set forth that Klatzko is a count, whose real name is Michael Michaelovitch Barzinoff, onetime colonel of the czar's guard of honor, commander of a thousand Cossacks at Tiflis, and now chief of the Russian secret police in this country.

The peculiar properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have been thoroughly tested during epidemics of influenza, and when it was taken in time we have not heard of a single case of pneumonia. Sold by all dealers.

When You Were a Youngster

Do you remember how much Christmas meant to you then?

If your recollection is rather hazy, read Edwin L. Sabin's story in next Sunday's LITERARY MAGAZINE section of THE GAZETTE. It will renew your youth and warm the cockles of your heart. It is called "Used-To-Be-Christmas." It's a bully good Christmas story for everybody and you'll not be satisfied merely with reading it yourself—you'll want all the rest of the folks to read it, too. The illustrations are by J. N. Darling, and they are thoroughly humorous.

Next Sunday's issue of our LITERARY MAGAZINE section is a Christmas number, and besides Sabin's story, there is a high-class, short story by William Chester Estabrook, another by Temple Bailey, several choice bits of Christmas poetry, and a lot of good Christmas fun by Geo. Fitch in his humorous department.

The Estabrook story is called "The Rose Gold Barouche." It has the sort of stuff in it that stirs the emotions, now bringing laughter, now tears. It's the story of a boy's mistake and its influence on the rather troublesome affairs of a round and ruddy German grocer, but the mistake comes out happily for everybody.

While the magazine section next Sunday has this decided Christmas flavor, it offers other things, also. You'll find in it another installment of "At the Call of Honor," which is getting into its most thrilling parts now; also the second of two articles on the woman suffrage movement in England, and various other things that make good reading.

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FORMER REPRESENTATIVE PHILIP THOMPSON DIES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Ex-Representative Philip Thompson, of Kentucky, who was stricken on the street yesterday with a hemorrhage of the stomach, died this morning at the Emergency hospital.

Thompson for the last few years has been a New York lawyer. He served with Morgan in the Civil war, was twice tried for murder and acquitted. The first trial was 30 years ago, after a battle in which three died in the Thompson-Davis feud at Harrodsbubrg, Mercer county, Ky. In 1883 he killed W H. Davis, but was acquitted on the grounds of emotional insanity.

TWO MINERS KILLED BY "WINDY" SHOT

TRINIDAD, Colo., Dec. 15.—As a result of a "windy" in the mine of the Cedar Hill Coal and Coke company, 25 miles northeast of here, this morning, Robert Ramey, an American, and James Tedesoko, an Italian, were instantly killed.

The bodies were recovered by other miners. No one else was injured and no fire started in the mine from the explosion.

Most old maids are just as fond of the men as are the younger girls, only they hesitate about showing it.

BANK SAFE BLOWN AND ROBBERS ESCAPE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Dec. 15.—Robbers blew the safe of the Paolaista bank early this morning and secured $4,000 in cash, escaping in a buggy. Before they went to the bank they carefully cut all telephone and telegraph wires, thus precluding communication to outside places.

The explosion of dynamite aroused the citizens, but the robbers made their escape before the bewildered citizens could follow.

Blasts of sorrow uncover false friends and reveal true ones.

IN 1910, A NEW NOVEL BY MAY SINCLAIR, "THE CREATORS."

IN 1910, "MODJESKA'S MEMOIRS," THE LIFE OF A GREAT ACTRESS.

IN 1910, "MOTORING IN A CACTUS FOREST."

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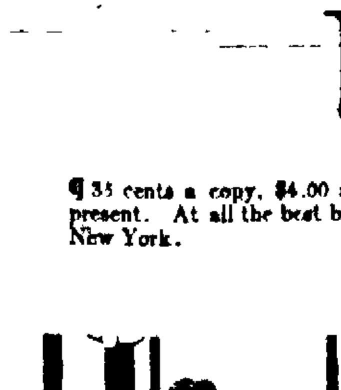
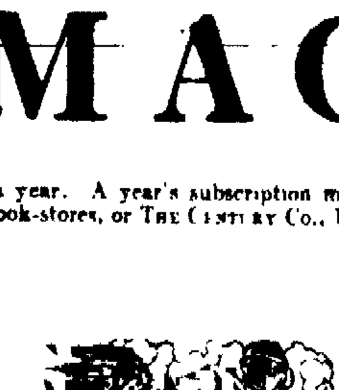
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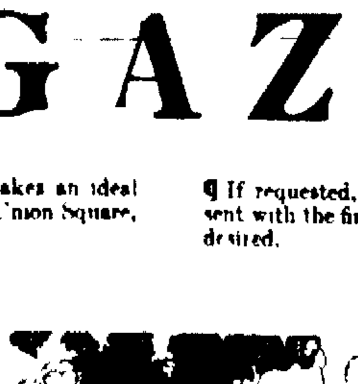
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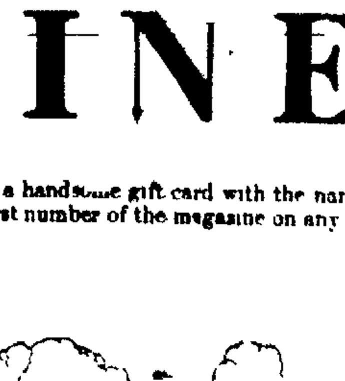
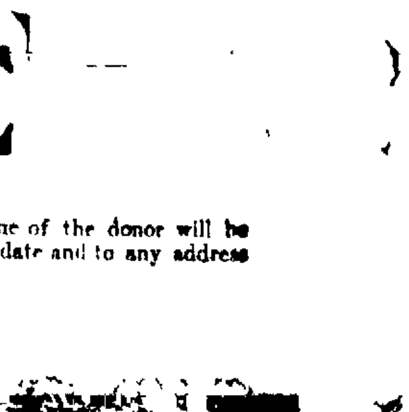
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C. E. Maddocks
Tailor
Will move
On Dec. 15
from 21½ E. Pikes Peak Avenue
To 20 E. Kiowa St.

Wants

WANTED MALE HELP.

WANTED—Painters; laborers and man with team to exchange work for lots; part cash paid. The Hastings-Allen Realty and Building Co., No. 119 N. Tejon St.

WANTED—100 school children to make money taking subscriptions from neighbors for Ladies Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post. See J. G. Tomkies, 24 N. Nevada Ave. Red 235.

WANTED—Five good carpenters to exchange work for lots; special contracts to first-class men. The Hastings-Allen Realty and Building Co.

COMMON labor wanted in exchange for merchandise. Maddocks, 21½ E. Pikes Peak.

WANTED—Boy who has had experience at the printing business. Call Gazette composing room, after 7 o'clock evenings.

WANTED—Good strong boys to carry paper routes. Apply Mail Room, Gazette, before 8 a. m. or at 3:30 p. m.

WANTED—Teams for hauling coal; $1.25 per ton; steady work. Apply room 15, Midland Block.

WANTED—Teamster. Apply 302 West Platte.

CARPENTER work wanted in exchange for mdse. Maddocks, 21½ Pikes Peak.

WANTED—At once first-class newspaper solicitors. Address P. O. Box 1242.

WANTED FEMALE HELP.

WANTED—Lady solicitors for Ladies' Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post. Permanent employment, liberal commission; $3 to $5 a day. See J. G. Tomkies, 24 N. Nevada Ave. Red 235.

WANTED—Two or three young ladies; those who have had experience at soliciting. No others need apply. Room 8 Gazette bldg., second floor.

WANTED—Lady agents to take orders. Must be first class; $4 per day easy. 634 N. Royer. Call forenoons only.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at 30 West Caramillo street.

OFFICE girl; short hours; address in own handwriting, P. O. Box 653.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 822 Lincoln, west side.

WANTED—10 saleswomen. Call at 10 and 12 E. Bijou. Fire Sale. Mr. Bates, Mgr.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—TO GIVE YOU PRICE on your carpenter work; large or small jobs; day or contract. Phone Red 211. H. T. Sinclair.

FAMILY laundry, 50c, 75c and $1.00 per dozen, washed and ironed, all clothing dried in the open air. Flat work—Sheets, .03; table cloths, .04; slips, .01; towels, .01. Called for and delivered. Phone 1495. Mrs. Voisin, 22 Maple St., Ivywild.

I WANT to give you price on carpenter work, large or small job, and contracting or painting. 528 N. Weber. Phone 1214.

NONDESCRIPTIVE ticket for Cincinnati or Chicago; leaving Friday, after 3 p. m. Phone White 671.

WANTED—A loan of $350 from private party. Will arrange terms when loan is made. D-56, Gazette.

WANTED—Second-hand 4x5 plate camera; must be cheap. Address 515 Jefferson Ave., Colo. City.

WANTED—Nondescriptive ticket to Chicago. 733 N. Corona.

WANTED—Good safe, thirteen inches or more deep. Address Box 913.

WANTED—You to buy your Christmas books at McCauley's 121 E. Cucharas St.

CASH paid for men's clothing. Write or call 13½ E. Huerfano St.

HOME OF THE AMERICAN FLAG IN DANGER

From the Pittsburg Dispatch.

The Betsy Ross house, the home of the American flag, which stands at 239 Arch street, Philadelphia, is four years in arrears for taxes, and because of this a lien has been filed against it by the city. This means that if the taxes should remain unpaid for two more years the property can be sold. According to officials at the Tax bureau the property is assessed at $4,500, which puts the tax at $67.50. The delinquent tax penalty brings this to $71.03, and as the taxes have not been paid for 1905, 1906, 1907 or 1908 the interest on them is constantly increasing. The only occupant of the place is Mrs. Charles H. Weisgerber, the caretaker. When first the house was obtained by the American Flag House and Betsy Ross Memorial association it was offered to the United States as a gift. The gift was refused. It was then presented to the city, the formal tender being given to Mayor Reyburn. At the same time an ordinance was introduced in councils accepting the house for the city of Philadelphia. Nothing was ever done in the matter, however.

Blobbs—Your brides and grooms no longer consider it the thing to be photographed together. Slobbs—No, and it's too bad. It cuts off a lot of amusement for the grandchildren.

—Nothing is quite as isolate looking as the wallflowers at a dance.

WANTED SITUATIONS.

MARRIED MAN, carpenter, with experience in house building, also shops and mill work, would like employment with some company, to run work on new and to look after repairs on old buildings; can build boats is needed; good references. Address D58, Gazette.

WIDOW with small boy wants position as cook on ranch; can give good city reference. Address D-39, Gazette.

REFINED lady wishes position as companion or chaperon; home or travel, references furnished. Address D-23, Gazette.

WANTED—Plain sewing. Children's clothes, infants' layettes and fine work a specialty. 19 E. Willamette ave.

HANDY man wants work for board and room; references. Address D-57, Gazette.

DRESSMAKING and plain sewing done; table linen neatly done by hand. Main 1859. 23 West View Place.

FIRST-CLASS cook wants place with private family; no laundry. E-1, Gazette.

WANTED—Washing and ironing to take home. 213 N. Cedar St.

POSITION wanted by experienced groceryman. Address D-52, Gazette.

WANTED—Sewing by the day. Mrs. Nichols. Phone Blue 791.

TO RENT UNFUR. HOUSES.

SIX rooms, bath, lights, near Cheyenne canon. Inquire 16¼ Cheyenne Road. Phone Red 771.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished, large, fully modern house. 715 N. Nevada. Inquire N. S. Gandy, Mining Exchange building.

SIX rooms, modern; in good condition; close in. Apply 515 Mining Exchange. Telephone Main 124.

MODERN five-room cottage with barn, at 2515 N. Nevada. Inquire of Mr. Livermore, at Kaufman's store.

NICE 4-room cottage; clean; can buy on monthly payments. 1233 N. Prospect.

5-ROOM house 2025 N. Weber; owner, 22 W. Mill. Phone 857.

6 ROOMS; modern except heat. 602 E. Cache la Poudre. 9 Midland Blk.

ONE seven-room house, 436 E. St. Vrain, for rent cheap. Apply 706 E. Platte.

5-ROOM fully modern house. Inquire 8 Cheyenne Blvd. Phone 1998.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Studebaker rockaway carriage; newly painted; big bargain. Inquire Hemenway Carriage Co.

BROWN horse 9 years old; sound and gentle; also black mare for sale or trade for good cow. 424 S. Nevada.

FOR SALE—Extra good team; weight 2,500, guaranteed gentle and good workers. 302 W. Platte.

FOR SALE—An extra nice driving mare; sound and gentle. Call Main 267. 515 North Nevada.

GOOD work horse, 1,250 pounds, for sale cheap, at Starsmoore's Ranch, Broadmoor or Phone Main 2537.

TO TRADE.

THE NATIONAL REALTY CO., HEADQUARTERS FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS IN HOMES. CAN MAKE TERMS. NEW LOCATION, SUITE 410, EXCHANGE NAT'L BANK BLDG. PHONE 199. J. F. THOMAS, PRES.

WILL exchange fully-modern fifteen-room house north end for smaller place or for land. Describe what you have in answer. D-2, Gazette.

4-ROOM cottage for young stock. Call or address 520 N. Nevada Ave.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE.

FURNITURE of a 7-room cottage for sale cheap on account of parties leaving the city, consisting of mission dining room set of 6 pieces, beds, rugs, buffets, chairs and kitchen utensils. Apply 221 E. Cache la Poudre.

FINE large oak china cabinet, mirror top, practically new. Johnson, care Giddings Bros.

$75 FOR furniture of large rooming house; rent cheap; fine location. Phone Red 72.

2 HEATING stoves, beds, mattress, springs, fold bed, chairs and table, other goods cheap. 424 S. Nevada.

WATCH REPAIRING

SPECIAL rates, watches cleaned, 50c, main spring, 50c. All work guaranteed. Highest price paid for old gold and silver. S. Klein, 16 East Huerfano.

POULTRY SUNDRIES

FOR SALE. Imported Hartz Mountain singer. $1.50 and $2.00. 234 W. Platte.

WANTED TO RENT HOUSES.

WANT four or five-room, all modern house, or full lot in good location; give full particulars. Address D66, Gazette.

TO RENT FURNISHED ROOMS.

THE MALTOOL, 800 N. TEJON. Strictly modern; running hot and cold water, steam heat; permanent and transient; rates, $2.50 to $6 week, phone [illegible]

STEAM-HEATED sunny rooms, $1.50 and $2 per week; also meals, 25c, or board, $4 per week. The Columbine, 408½ South Tejon street.

FURNISHED ROOMS; close in; walking distance. 6½ Boulder Crescent. Rent reasonable.

NICELY furnished housekeeping rooms, modern. Oliver Jones, Colo. Spgs. Laundry.

3 AND 4-room flat; nicely furnished; close in. 304 E. Pikes Peak. Phone 2130.

ROOM with sleeping porch; southeast exposure; also cabin. 616 N. Weber.

PLEASANT housekeeping rooms; nice home for ladies. 427 E. Platte.

CHOICE rooms at 4 Boulder Crescent; warm and cosy. Call, see them.

MODERN rooms; housekeeping if desired. Phone Main 2022. 629 N. Weber.

FURNISHED room for rent. 31 S. Wahsatch.

2 ROOMS, furnished for housekeeping; clean and reasonable. 426 E. Kiowa.

PLEASANT, home-like rooms. 322 East Bijou street.

LARGE furnished rooms for housekeeping; $3 up. 130 E. Huerfano.

SLEEPING rooms, also rooms for light housekeeping. 631 N. Wahsatch ave.

TWO rooms; modern, for light housekeeping, bath, gas, heat. 802 North Tejon.

PLEASANT east and south sun, housekeeping room, $8.00. 316 N. Nevada.

Desirable rooms with sleeping porches; also housekeeping rooms. 216 N. Cascade.

LARGE, sunny room, 118 North Weber.

TO RENT FURNISHED HOUSES

FOR RENT, FURNISHED—A thoroughly modern thirteen-room house, within two blocks of court house; inducements to right party. Call or address 416 N. Prospect.

5 ROOMS, nicely furnished; barn; on two lots. 1520 N. Corona. $30 per month. Inquire 18 Boulder Crescent.

2 SANITARY bungalows; 3 and 4-room; beautiful view; sheltered, sunny exposure; cheap for the winter. 1518 Cheyenne Road. Phone Black 404.

SIX-ROOM, strictly modern house, close in. Room 9, Midland block.

FOR RENT, FURNISHED—Four-room house, 208 S. Cascade.

FIVE and two-room furnished houses, $20 and $6 respectively. 713 S. Tejon.

3-ROOM cottage; renter board owner. 1017 South Sahwatch.

4-ROOM cottage; sleeping porch. 328 E. Yampa.

6-ROOM house; partly furnished; $14. 720 N. Corona. Inquire 603 S. Weber.

3-ROOM house, furnished. Inquire 24 N. Weber.

FOR RENT—Furnished 4-room house; close in. 517 N. Royer.

2-ROOM cottage, electric lights, gas; cheap for winter. 618 E. Boulder.

GRADUATE OSTEOPATHS.

DR. G. W. PAULY and wife, graduates Still's college, Kirksville, Mo., 201-2 DeGraff Bldg., 118 N. Tejon. Phone Main 1701. Best equipped office. Best of service. Residence, 1211 N. Weber. Phone Main 856. We believe that the cause of the disease must be removed in order to obtain a perfect cure. Come in and we will show you to your satisfaction what has caused your trouble.

DR. CONWAY. Still graduate, general practice, specialty of female troubles and goiters; examination free. Phone or call El Paso Bank Blk.

DR. KLEIN, 601-605 Exchange Nat. Bank Bldg. Practice limited to osteopathy. Phones: 1370, 2463. Nine years' practice.

E. L. MUMMA, M. D. D. O., 601-602 the Exchange National Bank building. Phones: Office, 1974; residence, 1822.

BOARD AND ROOMS.

LARGE front room with board. 715 N. Wahsatch.

BOARD AND ROOMS—Miss Womack, 422 N. Nevada. Phone Main 1798.

BOARD and rooms, $25 month, home cooking, steam heat. 802 N. Tejon.

BOARD and room, $6 per week; family style. 130 E. Huerfano.

THE WESTOVER.
814 N. Cascade. Mrs. E. H. Baty.

FOUND.

FOUND. A bicycle. Owner can have same by replying to this office and paying for this ad.

FOUND—A bicycle. Apply Mining Exchange cigar stand.

FOUND. Bible. Owner can have same at The Gazette office.

HEALTH.

Physical Culture Magazine, after January 1st, will be $1.50 a year. Until December 31st, we will accept subscriptions for $1. Max Kahn, Agent, P. O. Bldg., E.

CUT RATE TICKETS.

AMERICAN CUT RATE TICKET OFFICE. OPPOSITE POSTOFFICE.

TO RENT—UNFUR. ROOMS.

2 EXTRA nice, large rooms for housekeeping, private family; north, within walking distance from business portion, would partly furnish. Inquire A. J. Lawton, 10½ E. Pikes Peak.

3 ROOMS, $8 a month; single, $3.50. Rear 406 S. Nevada.

REMOVAL REMOVAL
W. W. WILLIAMSON
REAL ESTATE LOANS INSURANCE
Rooms 40 and 41, First National Bank Building.
REMOVAL REMOVAL

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

IF YOU want eggs in winter, promote vigor in your fowls by using Conkey's Laying Tonic. It gives summer activity and eggs without forcing the fowl. For sale by your poultry supply dealer.

INEXPENSIVE hot water heating; new system. Guarantee Heating Co., 519 W. Huerfano.

FOR SALE at a sacrifice, Reading motorcycle, 2 H. P.; mechanical valves. Inquire Sheff & Riggs, 225 N. Tejon.

GET Christmas bicycles at Neaderhouser's, 7 South Cascade, wheel chairs, phonograph records.

STANDARD sewing machine; splendid condition. Call forenoons. Johnson, 409 N. Tejon.

A LOT of 80 fluff rugs; also rag rugs for sale, very cheap, at Salvation Army Relief corps.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Diamond ring, 3 sets, locket, 7 sets. Address D-66, Gazette.

12-PASSENGER automobile for sale or trade. Apply 424 S. Nevada.

LADY'S bicycle for sale; used one season. Phone 1713.

BEST pine wood, $2.50 per wagon load. 214 W. Mill. Phone 983.

TUXEDO suit; size, 38; fine condition; price right. B-99, Gazette.

BEST line of second-hand sewing machines in city. 8 E. Kiowa. Phone 1.

NEW piano; big sacrifice; cash or time. Address C-49, Gazette.

DRESSMAKING

DRESSMAKING—All work guaranteed. 1227 Colorado Ave. Phone Blue 722.

FOR SALE RANCHES.

320 ACRES, well improved. G. A. Evey, 527 E. Willamette.

EDUCATIONAL.

FRENCH and Spanish. Madame Galle, 719 N. Cascade Ave. Phone 1084.

MUSICAL.

FOR first class tuning see W. J. Patterson, 222 East Kiowa. Phone 1579.

LEGAL NOTICES

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

Colorado Springs, Colo., November 15, 1909.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE ACACIA GOLD MINING COMPANY will be held on Thursday, December 16, A. D. 1909, at 2 p. m., at the office of the company, 211-212 Mining Exchange Building, City of Colorado Springs, Colorado, for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any and all business that may properly come before the meeting. If you cannot be present in person, please sign proxy and return.

Books for transfer of stock will close at 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, December 9, 1909, and remain closed until final adjournment of this meeting.

A dividend of One Cent a Share will be paid to all stockholders of record, December 9, 1909. Checks will be mailed along with the Annual Report, December 20, 1909.

KENNETH M. KENZIE, President.

Attest:

K. MACDERMID, Secretary.

THE MARY McKINNEY MINING CO.

Amount, $13,032.52.

Total to date, $451,270.48.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 1 cent per share has been declared upon the outstanding stock of the Mary McKinney Mining Company, payable December 23, 1909.

Transfer books close December 13, 1909, and reopen December 24, 1909.

By order of the board of directors.

CHARLES CASTELLO,
Asst. Secretary.

NOTICE OF DEFERRED ANNUAL MEETING OF THE COLORADO MINES CONSOLIDATED COMPANY.

A deferred Annual Meeting of the stockholders of THE COLORADO MINES CONSOLIDATED COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, Room No. 518 Mining Exchange Building, in the City of Colorado Springs, Colorado, on Wednesday, December 22d, A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business which may properly come before the meeting.

The books for transfer of stock will be closed on December 15th, A. D. 1909, and reopened the day following said meeting or its adjournment.

D. L. McCONAGHY, Secretary.

Colorado Springs, Colorado, Nov. 20, 1909.

THE GUANAJUATO POWER AND ELECTRIC COMPANY
NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of The Guanajuato Power and Electric Company will be held at the office of the Company, in the Giddings Building, Colorado Springs, El Paso County, Colorado, on Thursday, the 23rd day of December, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of considering and acting upon a proposed amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of the Company to increase the capital stock of the Company from three million five hundred thousand dollars ($3,500,000) to five million dollars ($5,000,000), such increase to be in the common stock of the Company, and for the transaction of such further business as may come before the meeting. The books for the transfer of stock will be closed at 3 o'clock p. m. on Thursday, the 16th day of December, 1909, and remain closed until the day after the final adjournment of said meeting.

HENRY HINE, President.

FOR SALE REAL ESTATE.

A HOMEY HOME

On the east side is offered to you at a price that will be hard to resist, if you have any notion of buying a home.

The place has 7 rooms, in good repair, on west front, 50-foot lot, ½ block from car and comparatively close in. The price is

$1,800

On which we can make some terms.

COME IN AND TALK

North end / The Sun Realty Co. / Colo. Spgs.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS FORCED SALE

4-room cottage, modern except heat; north end; close to car; built 2 years. In A-1 condition; corner lot, 57x65 feet; cement walks, any kind of terms. This must go. If interested, come in at once.

J. M. MACY & CO.
9 Midland Blk.

VACANT LOT BARGAINS

South front lot, 50x150, 1100 block, Washington Ave. $350
North front lot, 50x150, 1300 block, Lincoln Ave. 550
South front lot, 50x150; close in; on Grant Ave. 650
South front lot, 50x150, 1700 block, on Lincoln Ave. 550
Northwest corner 18th St. and Grant Ave., 30x120 400

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1012 Colorado Ave.

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Full lot, 50x190, in finest trim every way; $2,100 will buy it, if you offer at once. It is a genuine bargain, and you can always sell it quick at this.

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125 E. Pikes Peak Ave.
1 Door East P. O.

RAINBELT RANCHES

Now is the time to buy a ranch in the RAINBELT SECTION of Colorado. And we are the people to buy it from. Write for particulars.

THE DIVIDE LAND AND INVESTMENT CO.,
Elizabeth, Colo.

160-ACRE farm for sale in Elbert county, fenced, small house, barn, some timber. Price, $10 acre.

MILLER & ROCK.
1012 Colo. Ave.

SPECIAL BARGAINS in relinquishments and deeded lands in Lincoln county, Colorado, soft water. J. F. Gilmore, Limon, Colorado.

FOR SALE—For the price, the best 8-room modern residence on North Tejon St. D-47, Gazette.

COME to the northwest corner of San Reafal and Cedar streets and see these fully modern cottages just finishing.

FROM OWNER, modern cottage, north; also modern house, close in. 228 North Wahsatch. Phone Black 291.

FOR SALE CHEAP—160 acres land. Inquire La Veta house, 115½ South Cascade.

FOR SALE—Residence lot, close in., $600; terms to suit. P. O. Box 736, city.

CHOICE residence property; 11 rooms modern, best part of city. 6 Boulder Crescent.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

A STRICTLY A1 salesman with $500 cash and more later on wants interest or partnership in established, paying business, with services. Give full particulars first letter. Address Salesman, care Gazette.

FOR SALE OR RENT. A newly-furnished rooming house with 14 rooms, all occupied. Has splendid heating plant, location excellent. This is a good proposition for the right party. Phone 2543.

WANTED—A business manager for our store at 25 N. Tejon st. with $150 capital. See the Brant Advertising company, 15 E. Bijou st.

INEXPENSIVE sanitary plumbing; not in the trust. Guarantee Plbg. & Heat'g Co., 519 W. Huerfano.

CHIROPODISTS.

W. D. GAIGE—CHIROPODIST. Formerly of New York city. Room 18, First National Bank building.

G. R. VOGEL, CHIROPODIST, MOVED TO 42 FIRST NAT'L BANK BLDG.

CLAIRVOYANTS.

MRS. SAMPSON has returned. Readings daily. Meetings Sun. and Thurs. evenings. Will be glad to see all my friends. 113½ E. Pikes Peak Ave. Barnes building.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE.

WANTED—To buy a modern six or seven-room house, close in, will pay $500 down and $50 every six months; give location, price, and full particulars. Address P. O. Box 384, Pueblo, Colo.

LOST.

LOST—Lady's black pocketbook, containing 2 $10 bills, 1½ yd. black ribbon, 1 letter, 1 handkerchief, between the hours of 8 p. m. and 11.30 p. m., between Tejon and Santa Fe R. R. tracks, on Kiowa. Return this office, reward.

LOST—Small black leather purse containing change and keys, between postoffice and Caramillo St., Wed. eve. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Imitation mink cape, Thursday evening, between Schofield's and Areularius drug store. Reward for return to Gazette.

BLACK pocketbook; contained between $3 and $4, on Wahsatch, between Vermijo and Pikes Peak. Reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Small fur neckpiece, Monday afternoon, near Pikes Peak Ave. and Tejon. Return this office. Reward.

LOST—Blue belt with solid silver belt buckle, Sunday evening. Reward for return to Gazette.

RED Pierce bicycle, at Baptist church; No. 132490. Return to Appel's store. Reward.

LOST—Package containing leather-covered diary, 2 framed pictures, etc. Reward for return to Gazette.

TAKEN from Brunswick billiard hall, pair nickel-plated Barney & Berry skates. Reward if returned this office.

LOST—Pair lady's kid gloves, on street or in store. Liberal reward for return to Gazette.

LOST—Black fur gauntlet glove, between Strang's garage and Santa Fe depot. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—Carrier's tags, route 9, Evening Herald. Reward. Herald office.

LOST—Gold watch fob with initials, A. F. H. Reward at Gazette.

SMALL brown purse, near stamp window in postoffice. Reward, this office.

LOST—Taken from 1215 N. Nevada, Monarch wheel. Reward for return.

LOST—Package containing 3½ yds. dress goods. Reward at Gazette office.

LOST—A lady's brown fur neckpiece, at Majestic theater. Reward at Gazette.

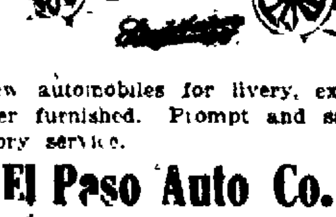
LOST—Saturday, pair eye glasses, vici clasps. Return this office, reward.

LOST—Pair brown trousers on South Nevada. Return to Gazette for reward.

LOST—Lady's gold ring, opal and diamond setting. Reward at Gazette.

LOST—Gold breastpin, shape two hearts. Return this office. Reward.

STORAGE AND TRANSFER.



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Amt. of Loan	Monthly	Semi-Mo.	Weekly
$50 repay	$13.35	$6.70	$3.10
$30 repay	7.40	3.70	1.85
$15 repay	3.70	1.85	.90

All business strictly confidential.

CHATTEL LOANS.

On easy weekly or monthly payments at much lower rates than you can get elsewhere. Room 303, Colorado Bldg. Phone Main 1512.

IF YOU WANT MONEY SEE THE STAR LOAN CO.

Room 1, First Nat'l Bank Bldg.

$10 to $100 on your note, without mortgage, assignment or publicity. Low rates, easy terms, liberal discount if paid before due. Phone Main 678.

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Phone Main 476, Rooms 40 and 41, First National Bank Bldg.

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125 E. Pikes Peak Ave., Colorado Springs.

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Money to loan, lowest rates. Insurance written in best companies. Real estate.

MATHEWS & SHELDON
113 E. Kiowa St. Colorado Springs.

MONEY TO LOAN—On furniture, pianos, watches, diamonds, horses, cattle, or anything of value; easy payments, confidential. C. W. Bohannon, Room 1, 19½ North Tejon.

$25.00, $50.00, $75.00 or $100.00 on pianos, furniture, warehouse receipts, cattle, no commission; lowest rates and easy payments. Davis & Barney, 8 North Bldg.

TO LOAN—$1,000. 7 per cent. Address giving security. E-2, Gazette.

MONEY to loan on first-class real estate security. Room 82 Colorado Bldg.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

DENVER AND RIO GRANDE.

Effective October 3, 1909.
City Ticket Office, 16 N. Tejon.
Phone Main 96.

SOUTH AND WESTBOUND

No.	To	Leave
1	Salt Lake and Pacific Coast	10:35 am
5	Salt Lake and Pacific Coast	11:57 am
9	Pueblo, Canon City & St. Louis	4:05 pm
11	Pueblo	6:37 pm
3	Glenwood, Utah & Pac. Coast	9:10 pm
7	Alamosa, Durango, Silverton	9:50 pm
15	Salida, Leadville and Ouray	11:50 pm

NORTH AND EASTBOUND

No.	From	Leave
16	Leadville, Ouray, Alamosa, Etc.	7:30 am
8	Pueblo	9:35 am
6	Pacific Coast and Salt Lake	10:40 am
10	Pueblo and St. Louis	2:20 pm
2	Pacific Coast and Salt Lake	3:00 pm
14	Pueblo	6:15 pm
4	Pacific Coast and Salt Lake	8:28 pm

Trains to Manitou:		Arrive from Manitou:	
41	7:30 am	42	8:35 am
43	10:50 am	44	11:25 am
45	4:15 pm	46	5:05 pm

ROCK ISLAND LINES.

No.	LEAVE COLO. SPRINGS	
8	Rocky Mountain Limited, for Omaha and Chicago	11:00 am
26	Colo. Flyer for Kansas City, St. Louis, Omaha and Chicago	1:15 pm
22	Southeastern Express, for Kansas City, St. Louis and Southeast	7:00 pm
6	Eastern Express, for Omaha and Chicago	9:40 pm
5	For Pueblo	5:30 am
39	For Pueblo	11:45 am

No.	ARRIVE COLO. SPRINGS	
5	Colorado Express, from Chicago and Omaha	7:30 am
27	Western Express, from St. Louis, Kansas City and Southeast	8:15 am
25	Colorado Flyer, from Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago	11:40 am
7	Rocky Mountain Limited, from Chicago and Omaha	12:35 pm
36	From Pueblo	1:10 pm
6	From Pueblo	9:30 pm

All meals in dining cars. Through sleepers and chair cars on all trains.

W. W. WOOD, City Passenger Agent,
2 Pikes Peak Avenue.

SANTA FE.

June 6, 1909.
Union Station, East Pikes Peak Ave.

NORTH FOR DENVER

No.		
7	Colorado Springs to Denver	4:05 am
13	Colorado Springs to Denver	5:50 am
5	From Chicago to California	7:20 am
607	Denver Express	11:50 am
1	Pueblo to Denver	12:50 pm
609	From Chicago to K. C.	2:46 pm
601	From Pueblo and East	4:25 pm
2	Denver Express	6:15 pm
11	From Colorado Midland	8:15 pm

EASTBOUND AND CALIFORNIA

No.		
8	Denver to Pueblo	1:50 am
608	For Chicago and Kan. City	6:48 am
4	Denver to Pueblo	10:20 am
610	Kansas City Flyer	11:05 am
2	For Pueblo	2:40 pm
602	California Lim. and Chicago	6:37 pm
6	For Chicago, K. C., El Paso	10:30 pm

C. C. HOYT,
City Pass. Agt.

COLORADO & SOUTHERN.

119 East Pikes Peak Avenue.
Phone Main 164.
Effective Sunday, Sept. 5th, 1909.

NORTHBOUND

No.		Leaves
1	For Denver, from Ft. Worth	4:05 am
12	For Denver	5:50 am
3	For Denver	7:30 am
607	For Denver	11:50 am
1	For Denver, from Ft. Worth	12:50 pm
309	For Denver	2:45 pm
601	For Denver	4:25 pm
2	For Denver	6:15 pm
11	For Denver	8:15 pm

VIA ELBERT & ELIZABETH.

No.		
17	For Denver, (mixed, except Sunday)	7:00 am
27	For Denver (Passenger, Sunday only)	7:00 am

SOUTHBOUND.

No.		
8	For Ft. Worth	1:50 am
308	For Pueblo	8:40 am
4	For Pueblo	10:20 am
610	For Pueblo	11:05 am
2	For Ft. Worth	2:40 pm
602	For Pueblo	6:37 pm
6	For Pueblo	10:30 pm

G. H. LOGAN, Commercial Agent.

COLORADO MIDLAND RAILWAY.

No.	(MIDLAND ROUTE.)	
5	For Leadville, Aspen, Glenwood, Grand Junction, Salt Lake and Pacific Coast. (A. T. & S. F.-Midland Depot)	1:01 pm
3	For Leadville, Aspen, Glenwood, Grand Junction, Salt Lake and Pacific Coast. (A. T. & S. F.-Midland Depot)	5:50 pm
11	For Victor and Cripple Creek. (D. & R. G. Depot)	6:55 pm
4	From Pacific Coast, Salt Lake, Grand Junction, Glenwood, Leadville (A. T. & S. F.-Midland Depot)	8:00 pm
6	From Grand Junction, Glenwood, Leadville. (A. T. & S. F.-Midland Depot)	5:35 am
8	From Cripple Creek, Victor (D. & R. G. Depot)	9:50 am

THE CRIPPLE CREEK TRIP.

"The Short Line."
Effective Monday, September 27th.

No.		
3	Daily leave Colorado Springs	10:30 am
	Arrive Cripple Creek	1:35 pm
4	Daily leave Cripple Creek	3:10 pm
	Arrive Colorado Springs	6:05 pm

Nos. 3 and 4 carry through coaches and observation cars between Denver, Cripple Creek and Victor via the C. & S. Ry. to and from Colorado Springs.

All trains arrive and depart from the Santa Fe-Colorado & Southern station, Colorado Springs.

THE CRIPPLE CREEK ROAD.

Effective Sunday, September 26, 1909.
Midland Terminal Ry.
Via Colo. Midland out of Colo. Springs.

WESTBOUND.

Leave Colorado Springs	6:55 pm
Arrive Cripple Creek	10:15 pm

EASTBOUND.

Leave Cripple Creek	7:00 am
Arrive Colorado Springs	9:00 am

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Arrive.		Depart.
2.10 pm	St. Louis, Sedalia, K. C., St. Joe, Atchison, Leavenworth, Wichita and Hot Springs, Ark., daily	4 pm
5.10 pm	Fast mail, St. Louis, Hot Springs, Sedalia, K. C., St. Joe, Atchison, Leav-	

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DAILY WEATHER RECORD

The following meteorological record is furnished by the Colorado College weather bureau for 24 hours ending at 6 o'clock p. m.:

Temperature at 6 a. m.	14
Temperature at 12 m.	34
Temperature at 6 p. m.	25
Maximum temperature	34
Minimum temperature	11
Mean temperature	22
Max. bar. pres., inches	24.31
Min. bar. pres., inches	24.14
Mean vel. of wind per hour	7
Max. vel. of wind per hour	14
Relative humidity at noon	49
Dew point at noon	19
Precipitation in inches	0

WEATHER FOR COLORADO.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Fair Thursday and Friday.

City Briefs

FINELY furnished rooms. Y. M. C. A.

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DANCE tonight, Majestic hall. Fink's orchestra. Strangers welcome.

THE ladies of the English Lutheran church will hold a sale of fancy articles at Briggs Coffee Store, 125 N. Tejon, Friday, 11 to 6. Come and get your Xmas presents.

MARRIAGE LICENSES—The following were granted marriage licenses yesterday, Carl B. Johnson and Estella May Van Winkle, both of this city, Thurston W. Weum, Duluth, Minn., and Evelyn Zoe Schattnit, Denver.

FIRE—An overheated stove caused a small fire in the chili parlor at 9 East Huerfano street yesterday morning. The damage is estimated at $20.

BUYS PROPERTY—Mrs P B Stewart of this city and W H. Cowles and Alfred Combes of Chicago have purchased a tract of land, 20 by 80 feet, on La Salle street, just south of Lake street, Chicago, for $30,000. The property lies in the business district, and will probably be used as a site for a big building. It is understood that Messrs. Cowles and Combes are relatives of Mrs Stewart.

INCORPORATION—W D Shackleford, F F Seelber and S H. Kinsley yesterday incorporated the Shackleford-Henley Leather Goods company with a capitalization of $15,000. The directors are Mr Shackleford, F Henley and D. A. Frazier. The company will carry on business in this county.

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3 Large Cans Pumpkin .... 25¢
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Fancy Egg Plant, 3 for .... 25¢
Green or Wax Beans, 4 lbs. .... 25¢
Large Southern Head Lettuce, 3 for .... 25¢
20 lbs. White Egg Turnips .... 25¢
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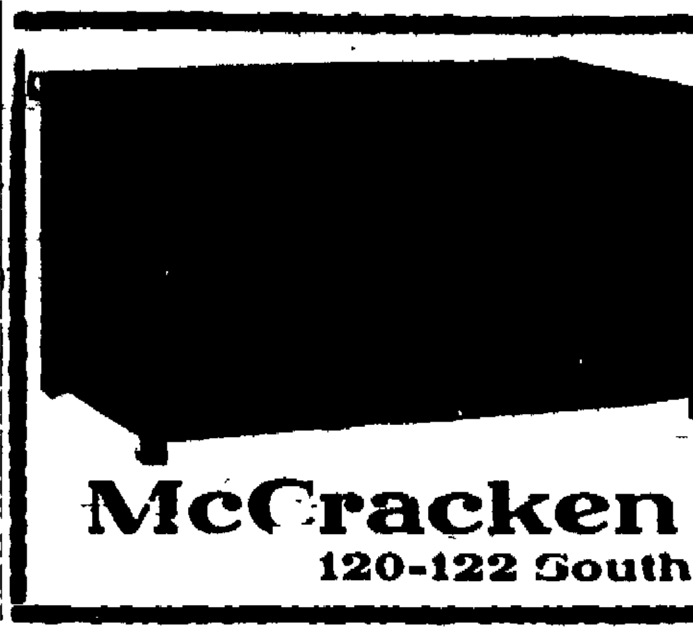

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